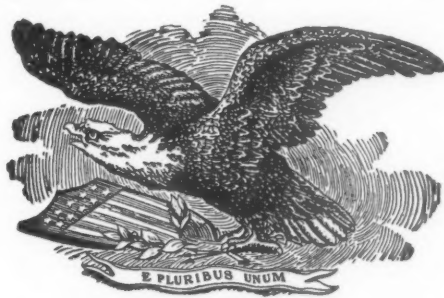


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FOR NATIONAL DEFENSE—

The Sixth Fleet In The Mediterranean

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Commander Sixth Fleet

OPERATING in the more than one million square miles of the Mediterranean, the self-sustaining, highly mobile and combat ready United States Sixth Fleet represents one of the most formidable deterrents to aggression in Europe and the Middle East.

Called by many the "Gray Diplomats," the ships of the Sixth Fleet are in the Mediterranean for two basic purposes. As a purely United States force reporting to the Commander, United States Naval Forces, Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean (CINCELM), they show the flag and cultivate good will in scores of Mediterranean ports and provide realistic operational training for thousands of officers and men. As part of NATO's Naval Striking and Support Forces, Southern Europe, in cooperation with the forces of other nations, they help protect the peace by discouraging would-be aggressors and by being ready at a moment's notice, if war should be forced upon the free world, to strike back effectively and rapidly. In his NATO capacity the Commander Sixth Fleet is the Commander Naval Striking and Support Forces, Southern Europe, and is responsible directly to Admiral Fechteler, CINCSOUTH.

The Sixth Fleet, a fast carrier task force with the mobility and effective striking power inherent in such a force, at the present time consists of more than forty ships. Two aircraft carriers form the core of its striking power assisted by three cruisers, one of which serves as

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Army Orders Field Survey For Uniform

The Army inquiry into the possible adoption of a new uniform jumped into high gear late this week with announcement that a Uniform Preference Survey will be conducted in the U. S., Europe and the Far East. Preliminary findings will be reported by 1 Feb.

The Army's action confirms a report in the 12 Dec. issue of THE JOURNAL that a new uniform study was underway.

Officers, non-commissioned officers and enlisted men in lower ranks will be asked to give their views as to whether or not they think a new uniform should be adopted, and if so what kind.

They will see models of the green-gray uniform tested during the past several years by the 3d Infantry Regiment in the Nation's Capital.

Also, they will be asked to comment on a proposed uniform of a dark green coat and "pinks" which was presented to Congress last year.

Additionally, the Uniform Preference Survey will show the O.D. uniform with Eisenhower Jacket.

At the Pentagon, a Uniform Board headed by Maj. Gen. James C. Fry has been looking into the problem during recent weeks.

The decision to go to the field for reaction is an indication that a new uniform will be recommended, although this is by no means a certainty.

It has been reported previously that procurement schedules make it advisable for the Army to decide on a new uniform change by April, should the decision be to adopt a new type garb.

Quartermaster stocks now are low and in view of an 18-month lead time, orders will be placed this Spring, according to

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AF Enlistment Lag Points To Draft

The Air Force has been unable for the second straight month to meet its enlistment quota.

Pentagon officials say that unless this trend is reversed, the Air Force may be forced to use the draft to fill its rank.

Air Force leaders have repeatedly expressed determination to maintain strength on a voluntary basis, with four-year enlistees.

To do this, they acknowledge, enlistments must show a marked improvement.

During December, the Air Force failed to meet its enlistment quota by over 22 per cent.

A spokesman said this was about twice the percentage shortage recorded in November, but pointed out that enlistments always drop off around the Christmas holiday period.

For December, the Air Force reduced its quota of enlistments from 10,000 the previous month to 7200, but failed by

"Trained Manpower" Base For Security President Declares In "State of Union" Talk

Rep. Van Zandt to Press Dept. For Pay Bill Report

An influential member of the House Armed Services Committee said late this week he thinks it's about time the Defense Department expresses an attitude on a military cost-of-living pay increase.

Representative James Van Zandt (R-Pa.), a captain in the Naval Reserve, told THE JOURNAL he will renew his request for a Pentagon position on the proposed pay boost if the Committee does not hear from the Defense Department shortly.

Captain Van Zandt said he made preliminary inquiries about his pay bill last week. He related that it was his understanding the matter was still involved with the Bureau of the Budget.

The fact that he promises action to spur a Pentagon statement on a pay raise is seen as early evidence that a military pay hike will be an issue in the current session of Congress.

Representative Van Zandt's bill, which would tie military pay to the Cost-of-Living Index and which would result in an estimated 8 per cent pay increase for men and women in uniform was introduced early last year.

The Armed Services Committee, in routine fashion, asked the Defense Department for its views on the measure.

In something less than routine procedure, the Pentagon has yet to respond to this request.

Representative Van Zandt now says he will renew the request.

(President's Defense Remarks, Next Page)

President Eisenhower this week outlined for the Nation a defense program which will insure a "massive capability to strike back," place added emphasis on continental defense, and which "must rest on trained manpower and its economical and mobile use."

The President declared in his State of the Union Address that "a professional corps is the heart of any security organization," and called for "more generous use" of benefits, other than pay, considered important to morale.

He mentioned specifically "more adequate living quarters and family housing units and medical care for dependents."

The President said that "pay alone will not retain in the career service of our Armed Forces the necessary numbers of long-term personnel."

His statement on pay would leave him room to maneuver later in the session should he desire to support a pay raise, but most observers saw in his remark virtual elimination of pay raise chances during the present session of Congress.

In connection with current plans to cut military manpower, the Commander-in-Chief said that new weapons create new relationships between men and materials and "permit economies in the use of men as we build forces suited to our situation in the world today."

He said that his Budget Message on 21 Jan. will show that "the air power of our Navy and Air Force is receiving heavy emphasis."

The President maintained that the Armed Forces "must regain mobility of action," and added that "our strategic reserves must be centrally placed and readily deployable to meet sudden aggression against ourselves and our allies."

Speculation that more than the previously announced two Army divisions will be withdrawn from the Far East was heightened by the President's statement this week.

The President noted that there are "evident weaknesses" in readiness and

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ARMY PROMOTIONS

The Army is expected to announce later this month a limited number of officer temporary promotions.

The previously scheduled promotion pace was knocked off stride by the "New Look" manpower cuts. Officer promotions have been suspended for about a month to captain, major and lieutenant colonel as officials studied the situation.

It's certain that there will be fewer promotions than originally anticipated in the next few months, but a total freeze is not anticipated.

President Tells of Defense Plans

President Eisenhower's State of the Union Message this week contained the following remarks about National Defense:

"Since our hope is peace, we owe ourselves and the world a candid explanation of the military measures we are taking to make that peace secure.

"As we enter this new year, our military power continues to grow. This power is for our own defense and to deter aggression. We shall not be aggressors, but we and our allies have and will maintain a massive capability to strike back.

"Here are some of the considerations in our defense planning:

Atomic Weapons

"First, while determined to use atomic power to serve the usage of peace, we take into full account our great and growing number of nuclear weapons and the most effective means of using them against an aggressor if they are needed to preserve our freedom. Our defense will be stronger if, under appropriate security safeguards, we share with our allies certain knowledge of the tactical use of our nuclear weapons. I urge the Congress to provide the needed authority.

"Second, the usefulness of these new weapons creates new relationships between men and materials. These new relationships permit economies in the use of men as we build forces suited to our situation in the world today. As will be seen from the Budget Message on January 21, the air power of our Navy and Air Force is receiving heavy emphasis.

"Third, our armed forces must regain maximum mobility of action. Our strategic reserves must be centrally placed and readily deployable to meet sudden aggression against ourselves and our allies.

Urges Use of Benefits

"Fourth, our defense must rest on trained manpower and its most economical and mobile use. A professional corps is the heart of any security organization. It is necessarily the teacher and leader of those who serve temporarily in the discharge of the obligation to help defend the Republic. Pay alone will not retain in the career service of our armed forces the necessary numbers of long-term personnel. I strongly urge, therefore, a more generous use of other benefits important to service morale. Among these are more adequate living quarters and family housing units, and medical care for dependents.

"Studies of military manpower have just been completed by the National Security Training Commission and a Committee appointed by the Director of the Office of Defense Mobilization. Evident weaknesses exist in the state of readiness and organization of our reserve forces. Measures to correct these weaknesses will be later submitted to the Congress.

"Fifth, the ability to convert swiftly from partial to all-out mobilization is imperative to our security. For the first time, mobilization officials know what the requirements are for 1,000 major items needed for military uses. These data, now being related to civilian requirements and our supply potential, will show us the gaps in our mobilization base. Thus we shall have more realistic plant-expansion and stockpiling goals. We shall speed their attainment. This Nation is at last to have an up-to-date mobilization base—the foundation of a sound defense program.

Seaway for Security

"Another part of this foundation is, of course, our continental transport system. Some of our vital heavy materials come increasingly from Canada. Indeed our relations with Canada, happily always close, involve more and more the unbreakable ties of strategic inter-dependence. Both nations now need the St. Lawrence Seaway for security as well as for economic reasons. I urge the Congress promptly to approve our participation in its construction.

"Sixth, military and non-military measures for continental defense must be and are being strengthened. In the current fiscal year we are allocating to these purposes an increasing portion of our effort, and in the next fiscal year, we shall spend nearly a billion dollars more for them than in 1953.

"An indispensable part of our continental security is our civil defense effort. This will succeed only as we have the complete cooperation of State Governors, Mayors, and voluntary citizen groups. With their help we can advance a cooperative program which, if an attack should come, would save many lives and lessen destruction.

JCS Approval

"The defense program recommended in the 1955 Budget is consistent with all of the considerations which I have just discussed. It is based on a new military program unanimously recommended by the Joint Chiefs of Staff and approved by me following consideration by the National Security Council. This new program will make and keep America strong in an age of peril. Nothing should bar its attainment."

"The cost of armaments becomes less oppressive as we near our defense goals; yet we are militarily stronger every day."

Fifth Interservice Photo Contest Gets Underway In May; Finals In Nov.

The Fifth Interservice Photography Contest, designed to interest all servicemen in recreational photographic activities, will get underway in May when preliminary judging begins.

Preliminary contests at installation level are scheduled to be held 1 May, and command level judging will begin 1 July. Service-wide judging is scheduled for about 1 October, and the final interservice decisions will be announced about a month later. The grand prize, the Perpetual Trophy, will be awarded by the ARMY NAVY AIR FORCE JOURNAL.

Entries will be judged in two categories: black and white photos from sizes minimum 8 X 10 inches to maximum 16 X 20 inches, unmounted and unmatted; and color transparencies from sizes 35 millimeter minimum to 4 X 5 inch maximum. All final contest entries will be exhibited in the concourse of the Pentagon.

Winners will be selected on the basis of composition and arrangement; visually interesting details; new ideas and approaches to familiar subjects; interesting subject matter and treatment, and photographic technique or craftsmanship, including developing, enlarging, burning in, cropping and dodging.

All pictures submitted in the contest must have been taken by the entrant after 1 Jan., and although processing of the entries by the applicant isn't mandatory, it is "encouraged."

Black and white entries will be considered the property of the service to

which the contestant belongs, and will not be returned. However, color transparencies will be returned to contestants.

All military personnel on active duty for 90 days or more are eligible to participate in the contest, but no contestant can receive more than one prize. Officials have the authority to withdraw entries deemed unworthy of consideration or unsuitable for exhibition. Also, no official military photographs will be considered. Various prizes will be announced later.

Since the first Army-wide photographic contest in 1947, the interest of military personnel in picture-making has increased appreciably. It is estimated now that more than 75 per cent of men in uniform own a camera.

To encourage photographic activities, the Army provides, free of charge, dark-room facilities and technical instruction on Army posts all over the world. Film, photographic equipment and other supplies are available to service personnel at cost. Further promotion of interest in photography is supplied in the form of conducted tours, special exhibits, classes and library references on photography at Army installations.

"The quality of pictures displayed in Army exhibits today," the Defense Department said, "is strong evidence to the impact of this directed program of photography. The fifth Inter-service Photography Contest and subsequent exhibits will give further support to the Army's recreational photography activities."

New C Ration To Include Chop Suey and Pound Cake

The Army has ordered nearly 2,500,000 improved versions of the C ration which will include such new culinary delights as chop suey with meat, pound cake, and oatmeal cookies.

Furthermore, the ration will be packed in a flatter, more rectangular package which will be easier to carry by troops in the field. Procurement is being handled by the Quartermaster Market Center in Chicago, and deliveries are expected to begin about May.

The new ration, in addition to the basic items of the present menu, will include beef and peas with gravy, chop suey with meat, ham and potatoes, fruit and pound cake, oatmeal cookies, soup and gravy base and soluble tea.

National Guard Gains Strength

The National Guard, including both Army and Air, had a net total gain in strength of more than 61,000 in the past year.

More than 313,000 officers and men were in training in over 5,300 Army and Air National Guard units located in the 48 States, the District of Columbia, Hawaii, Puerto Rico and Alaska as of 30 Nov. 1953, according to Maj. Gen. Edgar C. Erickson, Chief, National Guard Bureau.

Retired Army Surgeon To Succeed Retired Navy Surgeon As The Grand Paramount Carabao At '54 "Wallow"

A retired Army surgeon, Col. Joseph F. Siler, will succeed a retired Navy surgeon, Rear Adm. George W. Calver, as Grand Paramount Carabao of the Military Order of the Carabao at the 1954 "Wallow" on 20 Feb. at the Hotel Statler.

Colonel Siler, recognized as one of the Nation's leading authorities on tropical disease and preventive medicine, has been president of the Gorgas Memorial Institute since retirement from the Army in 1939.

Colonel Siler will succeed Rear Adm. George W. Calver, USN-Ret., as commander of the Order. Some of the Nation's most distinguished military leaders, including General of the Army Douglas MacArthur, Fleet Admiral William F. Halsey, and General Carl Spaatz, are past national commanders of the military song and fun group.

President Eisenhower is a member. The Carabao Order also named Capt. Earle D. Chesney, USNR, as "Grand Lead and Wheel Carabao" (executive officer of the association). Captain Chesney also was named chairman of the "Wallow" dinner committee.

Other key officers chosen were: Capt. Walter Karig, USN, "Director de la Fiesta"; Comdr. Joseph A. Carey, "Consejero General"; Col. William F. H. Santelmann, leader of the Marine Band, "Director de Musica"; and Col. Richard D. LaGarde, USA-Ret., "Grand Patriarch of the Herd" (First Vice Commander).

Colonel Siler, 78, lives at 2220—20th St., N.W.

A native of Alabama, Colonel Siler graduated from the University of Virginia Medical School in 1898. He entered the Army medical service in 1900 and first served in the Philippines during the Insurrection. He was in Northern Luzon during the campaign in which the Insurrection leader Aguinaldo was captured.

The Carabao Order was formed in Manila in 1900 by American officers fighting Filipino guerrillas. Only Siler and a corporal's guard of others remain from the old days, as the association now consists largely of veterans of WW II Philippine Campaigns.

The Philippine Ambassador always is an honor guest at the annual "Wallow" and the Order is a cementing force in American-Philippine relations.

Other 1954 officers chosen: Bell Carabao (2nd Vice-Commander), Col. Jean W. Moreau, USMC; Assistant: Maj. Gen. Verne D. Mudge, USA.

Grand Councillor of the Herd (3rd Vice-

Seek "Package" Reports For Bottled Liquor Sales

The Services have not yet submitted recommendations as to which installations they want certified "remote" by Defense Secretary Charles E. Wilson so that liquor can be sold by the bottle.

A Pentagon spokesman said that the recommended installations will be submitted in "package form" by the Services, rather than on an individual basis.

The Defense Department last month, after previously announcing a policy authorizing sale by the bottle as well as by the individual drink of alcoholic beverages on military installations, did an about-face.

The new policy says that liquor may be sold by the bottle only at "remote locations," certified by the Defense Secretary.

The Navy and Marine Corps, which had long enjoyed the privilege of liquor sale by the bottle, are now under the same restrictions as the Army and Air Force.

This means that numerous installations where liquor was sold by the bottle before the so-called liberalized policy was first announced will not be able to sell alcoholic beverages by the package after 1 April.

Military installations have until that date to use up stocks previously purchased.

Commander), Vice Adm. Leland P. Lovetta, USN.

Grand Jefe De Los Banos (4th Vice-Commander), Vice Adm. Francis W. Rockwell, USN.

Grand Jefe De Las Bebidas (5th Vice-Commander), Col. Frank Halford, USMC.

Grand Jefe Los Cargadores (6th Vice-Commander), Brig. Gen. William J. Flood, USAF, Assistant: Col. Clinton J. Harrold, USA.

Main Guard: Rear Adm. William B. Young, USN, Assistant: Rear Adm. Charles H. K. Miller, USN.

Winder of the Horn: Maj. Gen. Arthur G. Trudeau, USA, Assistant: Brig. Gen. Martin F. Scanlon, USAF.

Caretenero: Maj. Robert P. Leonard, US-MCR.

Gamboling Carabao: Brig. Gen. Robert H. Dunlop, USA.

Veterinero: Col. John J. Reddy, USA.

Jefe Vagueros: Capt. Lucius C. Dunn, USN. Lead & Swing Carabao: Capt. William J. G. Davis, AUS.

Assistant Director De La Banquete: Lt. Col. Thomas G. Carney, AUS.

Director De La Prensa: Col. Elmer J. Smith, USAR.

Director De La Informacion: Lt. Comdr. John G. Norris, USNR.



LT. GEN. WILLISTON B. PALMER, former Commander of X Corps (left), and now G-4, Department of the Army, takes the salute at Corps (Group) Headquarters with Lt. Gen. Bruce C. Clarke, current Commander, during a visit to the X Corps (Group) Command Post in Korea.

Trial Seen Likely For Some Former POW's

Top civilian and military officials of the Defense Department are taking a new look—based on recent developments—at the problem of court-martial proceedings against men who may have broken the Uniform Justice Code while held prisoner by the Communists in Korea.

There is strong indication that some military personnel will be ordered to stand trial.

Meantime, the Pentagon is studying what to do about U. S. personnel who may elect to remain with the Communists after 23 Jan., when all prisoners of war are to be set free under terms of the Armistice.

It has been widely reported that such men would be declared "deserters" after that date, but questions are now being raised by some legal experts as to whether or not such action can or should be taken.

Meantime, the dependents of these men continue to draw allowances. At the same time, military officials note, allowances for families of men, previously listed as missing but now declared dead, are being stopped.

In connection with the new emphasis on the overall POW courts-martial study, military commanders are hopeful Defense Secretary Charles E. Wilson will authorize trials.

It is conceivable that such a decision might have to be made at even a higher level of Government.

The consensus of military officials is that it is essential to establish a principle. They concede that court-martial proceedings could well result in acquittal in many—perhaps all—cases on the basis of such factors as duress, deprivation and degradation by the Communist captors.

Military commanders argue that a serious front-line morale problem could result in a future conflict if a precedent is established whereby men breaking the Justice Code while in enemy hands are not brought to trial.

They say further that the sacrifices of men in prison camps who refused to break under persistent Communist torture would be made less meaningful if those committing offenses are not subjected to trial.

All authorities at the Pentagon concede that the problem is most involved and intricate, demanding careful study and a heavy emphasis on sympathetic consideration for men forced to undergo great physical and mental travail in Communist camps.

The military leaders who are urging that some former or present prisoners face courts-martial action are doing so not out of desire to punish any single individual, but rather to establish a principle and thereby, they feel, help safeguard morale and fighting efficiency.

Obviously, the Armed Forces have been assembling detailed dossiers on cases considered to be flagrant. In this, they have had the expert assistance of men freed by the Communists.

It can be stated that included in the information now being assembled is apparent justification for going ahead with some trial action.

But nothing will be done unless and until Mr. Wilson gives the green light. No Service will dare take unilateral action.

As for Mr. Wilson's attitude? He has said most recently that "each case deserves personal, individual treatment. We recognize," he said, "the great importance as an over-all morale effect on the whole military organization."

"Even though a man is under terrific pressure," said the Secretary, "it doesn't necessarily mean that he can be excused for doing the wrong thing."

Mr. Wilson emphasized that the problem will be approached "with the maximum of human understanding, but with a realization that a man as a prisoner still has obligations."

His emphasis on the "obligations" of military personnel, even while in prisoner status, gives evidence that the Secretary will approve recommendations of some of the Services that courts-martial be held for some breaches of the Uniform Justice Code committed in prisoner of war camps.

BARBERSHOP CONTEST

Official "policies and procedures" for the 1954 Air Force talent and barbershop quartet contests are announced in AFL 34-24.

The contests will uncover outstanding talent to be organized into an all-airmen talent troupe to tour Air Force installations.

Preliminary contests at base level will be conducted prior to 20 March, with Air Force finals set between 17 and 25 May.

Guard Association Committees

A new lineup of committees to help guide affairs of the National Guard Association of the United States for 1954 has been appointed by Maj. Gen. E. A. Walsh of St. Paul, Minn., Association President.

Army and Air elements of the National Guard from most of the States and the District of Columbia are represented in the makeup of the various groups.

An innovation is the establishment of the Committee on Finance on a basis of staggered terms of one, two, three, four and five years' duration. This Committee will function also as the board of trustees of the Association's newly created Building Fund. All other committee appointments are for one year.

The Committees and their members are:

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Launching of 60,000-Ton Carrier Delayed

The Navy disclosed this week that the launching date of the first 60,000 ton aircraft carrier, *USS Forrestal*, has been postponed for at least six months.

This means, according to previous Navy statements, that final construction work on the vessel will not be completed before June 1955. Previously it had been announced that the carrier would be launched in March of this year and that construction would be complete by next December, 29 months after the laying of the keel.

In a short, four paragraph release, the Navy said "late delivery of major components, including propulsion equipment, is the chief reason for the delay." Orders were placed for the main turbines, boilers and reduction gears in August 1951, about a month after the contract for the ship was awarded to the Newport News Shipbuilding and Drydock Company.

New Problems

The Navy said, "Although the engineering principles applied in the vessel's design are conventional, the great extension of capacities of components has resulted in many new problems in their design." Observers said this could refer, in part at least, to requirements brought about by the Navy's recent decision to equip the carrier with the new British-developed steam catapult.

The decision to change the design of the hull to incorporate the angled deck (also a British development) and a fixed island superstructure "has had no effect on the launching date," the Navy said.

The announcement noted also that present progress "is considered quite satisfactory. The second deck, just below the hangar deck, is well under way, and the hangar deck has been begun. Components scheduled for earlier delivery are now beginning to arrive in quantities sufficient to give assurance that continuation of construction to completion will be orderly and rapid."

The keel of the big warship was laid

on 14 July 1952 and the Navy said at that time it anticipated completing the ship in 29 months. Rear Adm. Homer N. Wallin, then Chief of the Bureau of Ships, said the actual rate of construction depended on the urgency of need for the carrier, and could be speeded up by increased overtime work in the shipyard, or by ordinary shift work.

No new launching date was given in the announcement this week, but the Navy said the carrier "will be launched in the Fall."

Navy Changes Ribbon Rules

New regulations for the award of the Philippine Independence Ribbon have been outlined by Secretary of the Navy Robert B. Anderson.

Under the new rules, only military personnel who are recipients of both the Philippine Defense and Philippine Liberation Ribbons are eligible for the PIR. The Navy said the new requirements were set up by the Philippine Government and "no consideration can be given to requests to retain previous requirements."

CO's have been requested to inform eligible personnel of the current regulations and to notify those who were previously eligible but who do not meet the new requirements that they will no longer wear the ribbon.

New Ryukyus G-3

Col. Owen R. Durham, formerly assigned as Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2, with the U.N. Prisoner of War Command in Korea, has been named Assistant Chief of Staff, G-3, for the Ryukyus Command. He succeeds Col. Ralph T. Simpson, who has returned to the U.S. for assignment as professor of military science and tactics at the University of Arkansas, following a 23-month tour on Okinawa.

Colonel Durham's wife, Ethel, and two children are residing with him on Okinawa.

Adm. Radford Reports on Defense

ADMIRAL Arthur W. Radford, JSC Chairman, gives his outlook on defense problems in the following question-answer excerpt from the *Newsweek* program, "1954—A Preview", broadcast 3 Jan., over the American Broadcasting Co. network.

Q: Admiral Radford, what is your outlook on the danger to world peace in 1954?

A: Sometimes the feeling of tension rises, and sometimes it falls. The grim fact remains, however, that Soviet armed strength is not diminishing. I do not envisage in 1954, any reduction in the vast militant force of international Communism which continues to threaten the Free World.

This does not mean, of course, that we will necessarily be faced with global war. Recurring local situations, or hot spots, are more apt to be with us for a long time to come. Unless we are in a position to handle them positively and quickly, these hot spots could be serious and may be frequent.

Q: In that case, what kind of Armed Forces do you visualize this nation must have?

A: The United States must have mobile combat forces in readiness, plus an adequate mobilization base. Let me amplify that just a little, please.

Our military task today is complicated by two requirements imposed upon us. We must be ready for tremendous counteroffensive blows in event of a global war. We also must be ready for military actions less than all-out war.

Therefore, on the basis of planning for the long-term pull, we must have forces which have a high degree of flexibility and adaptability to atomic weapons, new techniques, and new situations around the world. We must have forces which will provide for the security of the United States, forces which will deter aggression in consonance with the concept of collective security with our allies in Europe and the Far East, and forces which could provide the basis for winning a war if one is forced upon us.

Q: Does this mean that we are going to place equal emphasis on all the Armed Services?

A: No, it does not. Today's emphasis is actually pointed toward the creation, the maintenance and the exploitation of modern airpower. There is no argument among military planners as to the importance of airpower.

At the same time, we will not neglect our other combat forces. We plan to continue to have the strongest Navy in the world, emphasizing, of course, airpower; and to have the best-equipped, hardest-hitting Army and Marine forces which can be sustained within our manpower and budgetary limitations.

Q: Admiral, just how strong will our airpower be in 1954?

A: The true magnitude of today's United States national airpower is not always understood. By national airpower I mean the airpower of each of the four Armed Services, plus the tremendous aircraft industry and the civil air transportation systems of the United States.

As to our outlook for 1954, the President of the United States, the Secretary of Defense, and the Joint Chiefs of Staff are of one mind: This nation will maintain a national airpower that is superior to that of any other nation in the world.

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This technique was suggested by a special committee which worked with the Defense Department's Human Resources Research office. This group discovered that although rifle instruction time was cut in half by the new method, there was no decrease in proficiency. Also, by using .22 calibre ammunition, the Army saves \$4.35 per trainee, again with no decrease in ability.

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Lt. Col. Abramoska Heads School's Nursing Branch

Lt. Col. Helen M. Abramoska, ANC, former Chief of the Nursing Service at the U.S. Army Hospital, Ft. Knox, Ky., has been named Chief of the Nursing Branch at the Medical Field Service School, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., Brig. Gen. James P. Cooney, Commandant of the School, has announced.

Colonel Abramoska succeeds Maj. Hortense McKay in the top nurse teaching position at Brooke Army Medical Center. Major McKay is being transferred to Europe.

She earned her nurse's diploma at the Elyria Memorial Hospital, Elyria, Ohio, and received a bachelor of science degree in nursing education from Columbia University. In addition, Colonel Abramoska holds a master of science degree, awarded by Baylor University as the result of her studies in the Hospital Administration course at the Medical Field Service School. She was commissioned a second lieutenant in the Army Nurse Corps in September, 1942, advancing to her present rank in November, 1950.

Col. Abramoska is the daughter of Mrs. Libbie Abramoska, 818 Lake Ave., Elyria, Ohio. She resides at 2631-A Schofield Rd. at Ft. Sam Houston.



Lt. Col. Abramoska

CITE THE GREETER

Grover A. Whalen, retiring official greeter for the City of New York for 35 years, has been awarded the Army's Certificate of Appreciation for "outstanding patriotic service." Presentation was made 7 Jan. by Lt. Gen. Withers A. Burrell, First Army Commander, on behalf of Secretary Robert T. Stevens.

Cut Army Promotions

In an action directly attributable to forthcoming manpower cuts, the Army has reduced to 48,400 its non-com promotions for January, 14,700 less than the December total of 63,100.

The probability is that the enlisted promotions will increase later in the fiscal year, but precautions must be taken to adjust the rank structure to revised manpower totals.

For January, the Army approved only 300 promotions to master sergeant, just half of the December quota.

This month, there will be 2700 promotions to E-6 (3600 in Dec.); 15,400 to E-5, same as last month, and 30,000 to E-4, compared with 43,500 in December.

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Gen. Horkan, QMC, Retires 31 Jan.; Served 36 Years

Maj. Gen. George A. Horkan, Quartermaster General since 1951, ends 36 years of active Army service when he retires 31 Jan. for 100 per cent disability.

A veterans of three wars, General Horkan rose from the ranks to become the 34th officer to fill the highest post in the Quartermaster Corps. During WWII, he was commanding officer of Camp Lee, Va., where he supervised and directed the training of Quartermaster Corps officers and troops.



Maj. Gen. Horkan

Following the war, he directed the Army's program for the recovery and return of WWII dead. Later, as Chief Quartermaster, European Command, he played an important role in the Berlin Airlift operation.

General Horkan was graduated from Georgetown University, and enlisted in the Georgia National Guard in 1916. He served as a Battalion sergeant major, and in 1917, was commissioned a second lieutenant in the Infantry Reserve. That same year he entered the Regular Army.

As Quartermaster General, he introduced many innovations, including improved management, reporting and accounting methods. At the same time, he directed supply operations for the Korean War.

Pick Brig. Gen. Stackpole To Command 79th Div.

Brig. Gen. Albert H. Stackpole, USA, Harrisburg, Pa., publisher, has been appointed commanding general of Pennsylvania's 79th Army Reserve Infantry Division, Second Army Headquarters announced this week. He succeeds Maj. Gen. Robert Wilson who has retired.

General Stackpole enlisted in the Army in 1917 and was commissioned a year later as a Second Lieutenant in the Field Artillery. During WW II, he served with the 104th Cavalry. In 1945, he was assigned to the Chinese Combat Command for the Chinese Nationalist Armies, and in 1948, he was promoted to his present rank in the Reserves.

The 79th Division was organized during WW I, and participated in the Normandy invasion in 1944. After hostilities, it was placed on occupational duty for a short while, then returned to this country and deactivated as a Reserve Division in 1946.

Band Chief Retires

CWO Charles W. Langstaff, a veteran of over 25 years of Army and National Guard band work, has been awarded the Third Army Certificate of Achievement by Lt. Gen. A. R. Bolling, Third Army Commander. He retired from active duty on 31 Dec., 1953.

He served as Third Army Band Supervisor at this Headquarters since October of 1952. Prior to his assignment with Third Army, CWO Langstaff directed the band at Far East Command Headquarters in Tokyo.

CWO Langstaff will maintain his residence at 890 Oglethorpe, Atlanta, Ga.

Fourth Army A.G. To FEC

Col. Norman A. Donges, Fourth Army adjutant general, has received a new assignment in the Far East. He will leave Fourth Army headquarters 17 Jan. and will report to the San Francisco Port of Embarkation, Fort Mason, Calif., 1 March.

Before coming to Fourth Army, Colonel Donges was in charge of the statistical and accounting branch of the Adjutant General Office, Washington, D.C., from March 1946 to June 1949, except for a six months tour of duty with the U. S. Army mission to Paraguay in 1948.



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U. S. NAVY & MARINE CORPS

RAdm. Murphy To Marianas Forces; Other Flags Shift

The Navy announced changes this week in five of its flag billets, including assignment of Rear Adm. Marion E. Murphy as Commander, Naval Forces, Marianas.

Admiral Murphy, now Commander of Service Squadron Three in the Pacific, will succeed Rear Adm. Ernest W. Litch. No new assignment was announced for Admiral Litch.

At the same time, Rear Adm. Edmund B. Taylor, Commander of Destroyer Flotilla Two in the Atlantic, was ordered to Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, to take command of the Naval Base there.

Capt. Schuyler N. Pyne, who has been selected for promotion to Rear Admiral, was ordered to take command of the

Pearl Harbor Naval Shipyard, Pearl Harbor, T. H. He succeeds Rear Adm. Wallace R. Dowd who has been in the assignment since November 1950 and for whom no new duty was announced.

Rear Adm. Donald C. Varian, now attending the Naval War College at Newport, R. I., will succeed Admiral Taylor as Commander of Destroyer Flotilla Two.

Rear Adm. Charles L. Strain (CEC), Assistant Chief of Plans and Research in the Bureau of Yards and Docks, was ordered to new duty as Director of the Atlantic Division of the Bureau, New York City. He succeeds Rear Adm. Albert D. Alexis (CEC), who has been in the assignment since July 1950 and for whom no new assignment was announced.

USMC Announces Rifle-Pistol Matches Schedules

The Marine Corps has announced the schedule for its 1954 Rifle and Pistol Matches.

Division matches will get underway at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego, Calif., where the Western Division and San Diego Trophy Matches will be held from 5-10 April.

These will be followed by the Southeastern Division Matches at the Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune, N. C., 26-30 Apr., and by the Eastern Division Matches at the Marine Corps Schools, Quantico, Va., 17-22 May.

The Marine Corps Rifle and Pistol and Lauchheimer Matches also will be held at Quantico during the period 24-29 May, and the Elliott, Wirgman Trophy Inter-Division Pistol Team and Inter-Division Rifle Matches will be held there from 31 May through 5 June.

The matches are part of a training program conducted annually for the primary purpose of promoting interest in and raising the standard of performance in the use of individual arms throughout the Marine Corps.

Navy-USMC Boards Integrate Aviators

The Navy announced selection this week of 58 former Naval Aviation Cadets who will be integrated into the Regular Navy. At the same time, the Marine Corps convened a board to consider 105 Reserve aviators for integration into the Regular ranks of the Marine Corps.

The Marine board, headed by Col. El-

mer T. Dorsey, met on 4 Jan. It will select from among the 105 applicants all those officers who are considered qualified for integration. Other members of the board are Lieutenant Colonels Henry J. Smart, Samuel B. Folsom, Jr., and Frederick F. Draper. The Recorder is Capt. Elwin M. Jones.

The 58 officers selected for appointment in the Regular Navy were:

Allen, Robert J.
Barnett, Gerald P.
Blomquist, Bruce B.
Carlson, Howard L.
Cecil, Durward C.
Coffman, Charles L.
Cunningham, A. R.
Dunn, Joseph F.
Engel, Richard E.
Gehres, Francis C.
Goetschius, F. D.
Greenleaf, Wilbur E.
Horstmann, Frank J.
Ingle, Edmund W.
Jones, John E.
Monroe, Charles H.
Myers, William S.
Neskey, Jr. Anthony
Ritchey, Donald D.
Sherar, Robert C.
Thibault, Leo A.
Wakeland, Max W.
Wickham, Robert E.
Williford, B. R.
Witovet, Gerald J.
Eastman, Alfred C.
Rzewnicki, D. D.
Weintraub, Allan P.
Armstrong, E. M.

Bingham, Jr. Thomas
Bucklin, Jerald W.
Cave, John G.
Cody, William A.
Cornwell, James W.
Duffy, Charles A.
Ecklund, Jr. Hugo L.
Ewing, Marshall E.
Gibbs, Donald R.
Grappi, Robert L.
Holt, Neil G.
Hughes, James R.
Johnston, Jr. M. M.
Kearns, James T.
Millus, Paul L.
Myers, Carroll E.
Murphy, Ray D.
Powers, Trent R.
Roberts, Charles T.
Stovall, Walter W.
Upton, Don L.
Ward, Carl B.
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Navy Court Of Inquiry Reports On Leyte Explosion

The Navy has announced the findings and recommendations of a Court of Inquiry which investigated the explosion and fire aboard the carrier *Leyte* in the Boston Naval Shipyard last October.

The court, convened by Vice Adm. John J. Ballantine, Commander, Air Force, Atlantic Fleet, found no evidence of sabotage and held the carrier's commanding officer, Capt. Thomas A. Ahroon, blameless. No recommendation of a legal nature or for disciplinary action was made against any individual.

The Court concluded that the 37 men killed in the blast met their deaths through "no intent, fault, negligence or

inefficiency of any person in Naval service or connected therewith."

Recommendations were made by the Court for study and further investigation into technical matters involved in the explosion in order to forestall recurrences. The Navy said "Information obtained from the investigation is being applied as thoroughly and as rapidly as possible to all shipboard hydraulic systems and to the planning of further study."

Members of the Court were Rear Adm. Delbert A. Cornwell, Commander, Fleet Air Wings, Atlantic; Capt. Frank Turner and Capt. Leonard Fox.

Brig. Gen. McFarland To Be Asst. Comdr. 3d MarDiv

Brig. Gen. Thomas G. McFarland, USMC, has been assigned as Assistant Division Commander, 3d Marine Division, Japan. He succeeds Brig. Gen. Homer L. Litzenberg who reports to Headquarters, Fleet Marine Force, Atlantic, for duty as Assistant to the Commanding General for Planning.

General McFarland was formerly Assistant Commander of the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Parris Island, S. C. He had served there since Sept. 1952, first as Chief of Staff, and later as Assistant CG when he was promoted to general officer

rank last October.

Brig. Gen. Robert E. Hogaboom, former Assistant Division Commander of the 2d Marine Division, Camp Lejeune, N.C., has reported to Korea for similar duty with the 1st Marine Division. He succeeds Brig. Gen. Joseph C. Burger who has been ordered to Marine Corps Headquarters for duty.

General Burger's new assignment has not been announced but, as previously reported in THE JOURNAL, he is expected to be named Director of Marine Corps Public Information.

Navy Board to Begin Fact-Finding Tour

A four-man, fact-finding board will begin touring Naval Reserve activities next week to examine and report to the Navy Secretary on the effectiveness of the Reserve program.

Headed by Admiral William H. P. Blandy, USN-Ret., the Naval Reserve Evaluation Board will assemble on 14 Jan. at the 3d Naval District Headquarters in New York for a three-day observation of Naval Reserve activities in that area.

Admiral Blandy said the 3d Naval District was chosen for the first area to be visited "because it represents a typical area where Naval Reserve participation is highly active."

The board was formed last October (see JOURNAL 24 Oct.) by Secretary of the Navy Robert B. Anderson to "critically examine the mission of the Naval Reserve, including Air, as it relates to the needs of the Navy and to the broad aspects of National Defense." It has met twice.

Following the on-the-scene survey of activities in the 3d Naval District area, the group will go to the Los Angeles area in February. Later in the Spring the board members will examine Reserve activities in Chicago, headquarters of the Naval Air Reserve.

Members in addition to Admiral Blandy are Charles Francis Adams, Jr., president of the Rathen Manufacturing Co.; Rear Adm. Irving M. McQuiston, USNR, military executive of the Department of Defense Reserve Policy Board, and Rear Adm. James M. Ross, USNR, of Cities Service Oil Co.

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Adm. McCormick To Visit Naval Units in Caribbean

Admiral Lynde D. McCormick, USN, Commander in Chief U. S. Atlantic Fleet, will depart by plane from the Norfolk Naval Air Station on 13 Jan. for a seven-day visit to U. S. ships and naval installations in the Caribbean area.

He will visit Atlantic Fleet ships and units currently participating in "Operation Springboard," an extensive winter training program which began in November and will continue until March.

Admiral McCormick also will visit naval activities at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba; San Juan and Vieques Island, Puerto Rico; St. Thomas, Virgin Islands, and Key West, Fla. He will be accompanied by nine members of his staff.

During his tour, he will confer with Rear Adm. Austin K. Doyle, Commander Caribbean Sea Frontier; Rear Adm. George C. Townner, Commander, Naval Base, Key West, and Capt. Frank Bruner, Commander, Naval Base, Guantanamo Bay.

En route to the Caribbean the inspecting party will spend one day at Key West where Admiral McCormick will participate in commissioning ceremonies for new Fleet Sonar School installations.

Marines Complete Long Flight

The longest training flight ever made from the Second Marine Air Wing, Cherry Point, N.C., has been completed by an 18-member crew headed by Maj. A. D. Simpson.

Flying an R4Q2 "Flying Packet," twelve pilots and six enlisted crew members from the Marine Corps Air Stations at Cherry Point and Miami, Fla. made a 15,000-mile journey in three weeks. The circuit hop took them to Labrador, Greenland, Ireland, England, France, Italy, Greece, Turkey, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Egypt, Libya, French Morocco, the Azores and Newfoundland.

Capt. Weems Honored

Capt. P. V. H. Weems, USN-Ret., has been selected by the American Philological Society of Philadelphia to receive the Magellan Premium for 1954 for his contributions to celestial navigation.

A resident of Annapolis, Md., Captain Weems is a past president of the Institute of Navigation. He is the founder of the Weems System of Navigation and his standard textbook, *Air Navigation*, won the Gold Medal offered by the Aero Club of France.

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Adm. Cassady Tells of Sixth Fleet

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Fleet flagship; sixteen destroyers; some submarines; a division of transport ships with a reinforced battalion of some 1,800 fully combat equipped and combat ready Marines embarked; and the necessary tankers, supply ships and repair ships to keep the Sixth Fleet self-sustaining at sea. More than 20,000 officers and men are embarked in these ships.

Approximately two hundred of the latest type jet and attack bomber aircraft are carried aboard the two aircraft carriers. These planes have a combat radius of from four hundred to as much as seven hundred miles and many of them can carry a load of from eight to ten thousand pounds of bombs or rockets, machine guns and napalm.

The Sixth Fleet does not depend upon the foreign economy for the bulk of its supplies. Nearly all of the Fleet's supplies are brought out in cargo ships from the United States about every six weeks with replenishment and refueling normally accomplished while underway at sea.

With minor exceptions each ship of the Sixth Fleet serves for a period of about four or five months in the Mediterranean while on detached duty from the Atlantic Fleet. Completing their tours of duty, they are relieved in Mediterranean ports by other ships of similar types and returned to the United States. This system of regular rotation of ships and personnel permits the maximum number of officers and men to become acquainted with the area. The only personnel who remain in the Mediterranean for longer tours of duty are the officers and men attached to the Fleet Commander's staff; the staff of Commander Service Force Sixth Fleet; and those serving in a small number of support vessels.

Upon arrival in the Mediterranean, a new fleet is briefed in the policies and requirements of the Sixth Fleet and immediately swings into a schedule of operations and foreign calls which affords intensive training opportunities to the officers and men and introduces or reacquaints them with the people, customs and traditions of the countries they visit. Each call of units of the Sixth Fleet is a good will mission and particular stress is laid on the matter of behavior ashore. Conduct standards are higher, and more nearly reached, than in any component of the U. S. Navy. During a recent visit of many fleet units to the French Riviera, for example, an average of only one shore patrol report was issued for each 1,188 liberties.

The Sixth Fleet has no base in the Mediterranean, and has, therefore remained constantly on the move, engaging in training exercises at sea as a fast carrier task force. More than forty percent of its time is spent at sea exercising continually. Such exercises include, among others, carrier flight operations; replenishment and fueling at sea; anti-aircraft firing and surface gunnery ex-

ercises; shore bombardment of barren rock islands; air intercept exercises; anti-submarine warfare search and tracking exercises; simulated torpedo attacks by submarines; and transferring of guard mail, passengers and observers at sea by helicopter and high line. From time to time amphibious landing exercises by the Sixth Fleet Marines are scheduled with the approval of the government concerned.

A great part of the time at sea is spent in operations with the different navies, ground forces and air forces of the NATO countries in the Mediterranean. During the past nineteen months

the Sixth Fleet has participated in four major and numerous minor NATO exercises with the land, sea, and air forces of Turkey, Greece, Italy, France, and England. The progress which the armed forces of NATO nations in the Mediterranean have made in working together, increasing their defense potential, and achieving greater mutual understanding of each other's problems has been almost unbelievable. During those exercises United States forces have worked side by side with their foreign friends, sharing each other's experiences, each giving to the other the benefit of his own specialized skills and experience. For the men of the Sixth Fleet that association has not only been most pleasant, it has been most educational.

The Sixth Fleet is a friendly fleet and

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a peaceful fleet, but if the occasion demands it is trained and ready for any eventuality.

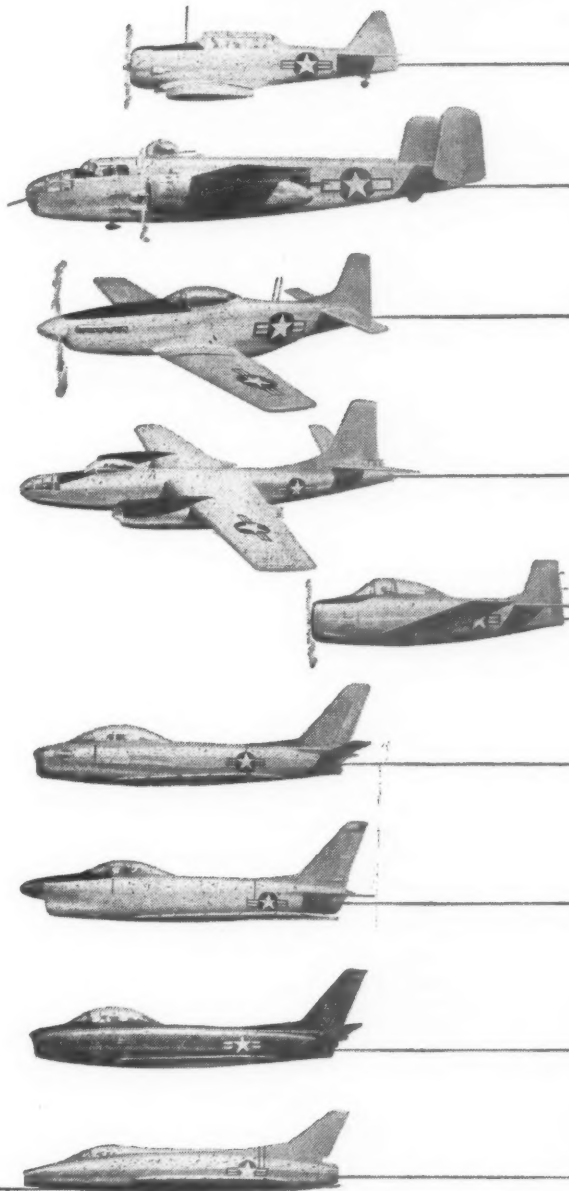
USMA Twins Separate

The first pair of twins to be graduated from West Point, 2d Lts. Rob and Roger McGregor, have chosen separate Army careers.

Rob entered the Signal Corps and is attending the Signal Basic Officers Course at Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

Roger is undergoing Ranger Training at Ft. Benning, Ga. Upon completion of the course, he will report to Ft. Ord, Calif.

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Accrued Leave Cost Up, Liberal Policy Directed

Air Force commanders are under renewed instructions from Headquarters in Washington to assure personnel the opportunity of taking as much ordinary leave as possible within the limits of military requirements.

Pentagon officials have noted that the cost of reimbursing officers and airmen leaving active service for their unused leave has shown a significant increase during recent years.

It was stated that aside from the relatively large numbers leaving active duty, another contributing factor has been the inability of personnel to take leave be-

cause of austerity manning and instability.

Commanders are reminded that taking of leave is beneficial not only to the individual, but to the Service as well.

At the same time, the Air Force reminded personnel officers that they are personally liable for any overpayment made to individuals as a result of incorrectly computing and certifying leave credits.

Commanders were told to take "immediate steps" to insure the exercise of strict control over methods and procedures used in making this type of computation and certification.

Deadline Reminder Reported For Regular AF Appointments

Air Force officers seeking commissions in the Regular Air Force are reminded they must submit their applications before 28 Feb. or wait until the period 1 July to 31 Aug.

This ruling does not apply to personnel applying for Medical Service appointments for which application may be submitted at any time.

To be eligible, an officer must have had at least 18 months of active duty during the three years prior to the submission of his application, and not less than six months of this service must have been spent in regular duty status.

Applications cannot be made by officers whose age exceeds 27 years by more than the number of years, months, and days (not to exceed 4 years, 5 months) he has served on active duty since 31 Dec. 1947, at the time of the opening date of the submission period. At the time of his appointment, the same rule applies, except that the time he has served on active duty since 31 Dec. 1947 is lengthened to 5 years.

Gen. Peabody Exec. Dir. for Foundation; Shift to Maxwell

The Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Air Force Historical Foundation, Lt. Gen. Idwal H. Edwards, USAF-Ret., has announced appointment of Brig. Gen. Hume Peabody, USAF-Ret., as the Executive Director of the Foundation.

Headquarters of the Foundation, directed by General Peabody, will move to the Air University, Maxwell AFB, Montgomery, Ala., on 15 Jan.

General Hoyt S. Vandenberg organized the Air Force Historical Foundation on 27 May 1953 for the purpose of preserving the history and traditions of the Air Force. The Foundation will commemorate the service of the men who have built the Air Force, and will record the heroism and sacrifices which have occurred in the Service.

Since its organization, the Air Force Historical Foundation already has a membership of over 2,000. These represent civilian and military memberships from all over the world and every major Command of the Air Force.

MATS Sets Perfect Safety Record Carrying 500,000

Military Air Transport Service scored a perfect safety record during 1953, flying over 500,000 passengers and patients without a single fatality. Lt. Gen. Joseph Smith, MATS commander, announced this week.

General Smith said a review of MATS' activities during the past year disclosed that the three transport divisions, Pacific, Atlantic and Continental, had flown 471,000 passengers and 57,000 patients without loss of life. He added that MATS and contract aircraft also flew 82,000 tons of high priority cargo and mail. During the year, MATS flew a grand total of 1,064,000,000 passenger miles, 132,000,000 patient miles and 318,000,000 ton miles.

Until the Korean armistice, MATS' activities were centered chiefly on the Pacific Airlift, averaging a crossing of the Pacific Ocean every 53 minutes. During the Korean conflict, nearly 66,000 sick and wounded United Nations personnel were airlifted by MATS from the Far East to the U. S. for treatment.

Operating over 115,000 miles of global air routes to 38 countries, MATS' 1953 operations were accomplished by approximately 100,000 Air Force, Navy and civilian personnel, including its six technical Air Force supporting services. A rundown of the activities of the six services follows:

AIR TRANSPORT — Aircraft assigned to the Pacific Airlift made 9800 trans-Pacific crossings carrying 169,000 passengers, 12,000 medical patients and 28,600 tons of cargo and mail. These totals are included in the Pacific Division which carried 227,000 passengers and patients, and 34,750 tons of cargo and mail. The Atlantic Division flew 208,648 military passengers and patients, and 38,526 tons of cargo and mail. MATS' Continental Division carried 91,000 passengers and patients, and 8400 tons of cargo and mail.

AIR WEATHER SERVICE — The six aerial reconnaissance squadrons of the Air Weather Service were in the air for 56,300 flying hours, equal to an accumulated 6½ years of flight, in constant search for vital weather information. Represented by this estimated total are some 11,260,000 miles flown, the equivalent of 23 round trips to the moon.

57th Strategic Reconnaissance Squadron, based at Hickam AFB, Hawaii, set a record by flying a single WB-28 366 hours and 20 minutes during the month of August.

AIRWAYS AND AIR COMMUNICATIONS SERVICE — This service key-noted its 15th year of operation with progress in the use of new electronic devices and fully automatic or semi-automatic equipment to reduce the ever-present element of human error. Emphasis centered on the Air Force policy of cutting labor costs while increasing operational effectiveness and combat readiness. One highlight was the installation of the first of many RATTC precision radar control of aircraft approaches to military airfields from greater distances than heretofore possible.

AIR RESCUE SERVICE — Many awards and commendations were made to the Air Rescue Service for its work during 1953, chiefly its rescue efforts during the flood disaster which struck England and Holland, when a B-36 crash-landed near Goose Bay, Labrador, and in picking up military personnel within combat areas in Korea.

FLIGHT SERVICE — Delivered more than two million flight plan messages to bases of destination within this country, a record for FS. It arranged and coordinated emergency plans for the possible evacuation of more than 6000 military and naval aircraft normally based in the U. S. hurricane zone between Maine, Florida and Texas.

AIR PHOTOGRAPHIC AND CHARTING SERVICE — Distributed 83 million copies of standard charts, aeronautical publications, air targets and other materials. It also compiled more than 31 reels of sound and silent film strips during the year for Air Force use in training, orientation and indoctrination.

ICELAND AIR DEFENSE FORCE — The MATS base at Keflavik Airport, Iceland, set records in passenger and cargo traffic, and new construction. One of the year's highlights was the clearance of 81 jet fighters for Europe in approximately two hours. The rapid takeoffs were made despite icy runways, a snowstorm and a daylight period of only 4½ hours.



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Lt. Col. Gray Named Director of The WAF

Lt. Col. Phyllis D. S. Gray, USAF, has been named Director of Women in the Air Force to succeed Col. Mary Shelly. She will be promoted to the rank of Colonel.

The Air Force said Colonel Shelly, who resigned this week, will resume her position as educational assistant to the president of Bennington College, Bennington, Vt. She has been Director of WAF since June 1951.

Colonel Gray, former WAF Staff Director of the USAFE, was chosen by a selection board of Air Force general officers from among 38 WAF lieutenant colonels on active duty. She will assume her new duties this month.

Born in Hartford, Conn., 8 July 1904. Colonel Gray graduated from high school there and attended Providence University, R. I., and Brown University, Providence, where she received a Bachelor of Philosophy degree in 1926. Later she did graduate work at the University of Maryland and Cambridge University, England.

Following a period of military service in the Women's Reserve of the Navy as an intelligence officer during World War II, Colonel Gray became a technical intelligence analyst with the Central Intelligence Agency and was commissioned a major in the Regular Air Force in February 1949. She was promoted to lieutenant colonel in October 1950.

Slice WAF Strength in Two, New Goal Will Be 6,000

The Air Force has launched a program to cut its WAF strength in half and to concentrate women airmen in five major commands.

The action is being taken because of the inability, as in the other Services, to obtain adequate numbers of qualified women applicants for military service.

Present WAF strength is about 12,000. It will fall to a maximum of 6000 beginning with FY '56. This reduced figure, Air Force experts say, can be sustained and will permit further refinement and development of WAF utilization and provide a mobilization pattern from which rapid expansion can be made in time of hostilities.

Action already has been started to reduce WAF strength, largely by normal attrition, and at the same time steps are being taken to concentrate WAF assignments in the Air Defense Command, MATS, Air Training Command, Strategic Air Command and U. S. Air Forces in Europe.

All other commands will phase out their assigned WAF personnel no later than the end of fiscal year 1955, or by 30 June, 1955.

Major reasons for the WAF reorganization were listed as effects of selective recruiting, high attrition, large impending expiration of tours and a relatively low reenlistment.

Col. Keefe Named

Col. Don R. Keefe, chief, Ammunition Surety Branch, Directorate of Supply and Services, Headquarters, Air Materiel Command, Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio, has been named as the Air Force member of the Armed Services Explosives Safety Board.

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AF Issues Proficiency Flying Min.-Max. Rules

The Air Force has issued a new regulation prescribing annual flying requirements, qualification checks and evaluation procedures for all rated officers on flying status.

The regulation, AFR 60-2, says that "the maintenance of a high level of skill in the performance of pilot and observer duties is of paramount importance."

The regulation then prescribes the following details:

Minimum Flight Requirements

a. Pilot personnel who have held an aeronautical rating for 20 or more years and have reached 50 years of age: A minimum of 48 hours and a maximum of 60 hours of pilot proficiency time flown as first pilot, first pilot instructor, copilot, and/or command pilot, of which:

(1) 10 hours will be instrument flight time (weather or hooded) as first pilot, of which 5 hours will be flown each 6 months.
(2) 7 hours will be night flight time, of which 3 hours will be flown each 6 months.
(3) 24 hours will be flown each 6 months.

b. All other pilot personnel: A minimum of 90 hours and a maximum of 100 hours of pilot proficiency time flown as first pilot, first pilot instructor, copilot, and/or command pilot, of which:

(1) 20 hours will be instrument flight time, weather or hooded, of which 10 hours will be flown each 6 months.
(2) 15 hours will be night flight time, of which 6 hours will be flown each 6 months.
(3) 35 hours minimum will be flown each 6 months.

(4) Not less than 50 per cent of each requirement outlined above will be as first pilot and/or first pilot instructor at the controls of an aircraft; except that in the case of command pilots, the requirements of the above subparagraph other than (1) may be met when flying as copilot.

c. Aircraft observer personnel (except aircraft observer (medical) and flight surgeons): A minimum of 90 hours and a maximum of 100 hours as aircraft observer, performing inflight duties common to the individual's rating and specialty, of which:

(1) 35 hours will be flown each 6 months.
(2) 15 hours will be flown at night.
(3) 6 flights will be of a minimum of 500 nautical miles duration.

d. Aircraft observer (medical) and flight surgeons: A minimum of 90 hours and a

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Air Force To Modernize Technical Order System

The Air Force is going to streamline its obsolete Technical Order System to promote the effectiveness of its thousands of technical publications.

The Air Materiel Command, which announced the revamping program, explained that the modernization steps will be taken to improve the efficiency of the Technical Orders, insure timely delivery of technical data to users, and develop procedures to maintain existing data on a current basis.

The publications involved include parts catalogues, instruction manuals, inspection requirements and other technical data. These Technical Orders provide guidance to contractors, maintenance technicians, supply officers, aircraft in-

spectors and training specialists.

The major changes, scheduled for completion by 1 Sept., provide: A new Technical Order numbering system under which Technical Orders, now totaling 25,000, will be renumbered by commodity identification to replace the present numbering by Air Force property classification and by manufacturer; a new Data Requirements Document which will list requirements of Air Force using activities by equipment, model or series, to replace the present Requirements Publication Table which lists approximately 25,000 line items, involving the printing of 150 million pages annually; and the decentralization of distribution of Technical Orders from Wilkins AF Depot, O., and Cheli AF

Depot, Calif., to 10 prime maintenance depots.

Promote MATS Deputy PIO

The promotion of Maj. Edward R. Kandel to the rank of lieutenant colonel has been announced. He is Deputy Chief of the Office of Information Services, Military Air Transport Service, Andrews AFB, Md.

Colonel Kandel served in the European theater during World War II. He joined the Air Force as a private 12 years ago. He had long been associated with national public relations organizations as a public relations and account executive before enlisting in the Air Force.



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"Other Benefits."—President Eisenhower's reference to Service pay in Thursday's State of the Union message does not necessarily mean that the President is opposed to a pay increase, but it will have the same effect. Members of Congress, already prepared to give a substantial boost to their own salaries, will use the President's statement to beat down any proposal to boost Service pay.

"Pay alone," the President said, "will not retain sufficient career personnel in the Services." He therefore recommended a "more generous use of other benefits," making specific mention of adequate living quarters and family housing units, and medical care for dependents.

The net impact of the President's reference to Service morale, therefore, will be to discourage a pay increase but to give strong impetus to the restoration of lost fringe benefits.

Legislation By Riders. A timely warning in the report of the Womble Committee urged that all riders on appropriation bills be opposed. The Committee recommended that the Department of Defense "impress Congress with the harm inherent in duplication of control represented by rider-type legislation."

A large part of the damage to Service morale has been caused by restrictive riders placed on Service appropriation bills. The attack on Service commissaries, the curtailment of proficiency flying, restrictions on promotions, less reimbursement for cost of travel, less reimbursement for movement of household goods, suppression of needed amounts for schooling of Service children, ban of off-duty training of officers—these and many other repressive acts against Service personnel all resulted from hastily-conceived and ill-considered riders on appropriation acts.

The evil in these quickie-riders arises from the fact that the Appropriations Committees prime concern is to save money. It is the Committees on Armed Services who are charged with the maintenance of the military establishments. All their legislation is given thorough consideration during committee hearings and executive sessions—all with primary consideration to the needs of National Defense.


The Womble Report will not interest the Appropriation Committees, but let us hope that it will impress the Department of Defense and the Armed Services Committees sufficiently so that they will protest future quickie-riders and insist that proper consideration be given to all proposals affecting Service morale.

Good Will and Confidence. Fifteen U. S. Air Force jets will take off from Kelly AFB, Tex., next Saturday, 16 Jan. for a tour of Latin American countries during which they will give air shows and demonstrations at 11 major cities.

Taking part will be such modern jet aircraft as North American F-86F Sabrejets, Republic F-84G Thunderjets, Lockheed F-80 Shooting Stars and T-33 Jet Trainers, plus supporting aircraft. The tour will be headed by Maj. Gen. Reuben C. Hood, commanding general of the Caribbean Air Command. Maj. Charles E. "Chuck" Yeager, USAF, first man to fly faster than sound and who recently flew 1650 miles an hour, will be on the trip as will a number of jet aces from Korea and the Air Force's famed "Thunderbirds" team to perform their amazing demonstration of close-formation precision flying.

Anyone who has ever seen air shows such as those given at Dayton, Detroit and other American cities, where hundreds of thousands of Americans pay entrance fees to witness them, can realize what this visit will mean not only to the officials of Latin America but also to the citizens

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READER'S VIEWS

(Letters to the Editor must have author's name and address, but name will be omitted on publication if writer so states. Longer letters may be extracted for publication.)

Housing Costs Up

Editor, THE JOURNAL:

I noted with interest your editorial "The Service Man's Family" of 26 Dec. 1953, especially the part concerning housing.

From 1946 to 1949 at the Camp Lejeune Marine Base I maintained quarters in Naval Housing, at a cost of \$35 per month, plus utilities—total cost hardly ever being over \$50 per month. Here I am now at the Cherry Point Marine Air Station living in the so-called "Wherry type housing," and which, in my opinion, is inferior to what I had at Lejeune. I now pay \$62.50 per month, plus utilities. I try to keep total cost under \$100; however, it is not easy. Government housing on the station would cost me \$97.10.

I have finally decided to put my wife to work and let the children take care of themselves. Everything is going up except pay.

MARINE M, SGT.

Plan For Efficiency

Editor, THE JOURNAL:

Current and continuing high turnover of enlisted personnel and junior officers is greatly impairing the efficiency of all military services. This could be cured, and the morale and effectiveness of our Armed Forces could be greatly increased, by a simple plan which would cost the government nothing after the first two or three years which would be required for gradual and orderly implementation. In essence, the plan is to offer greater incentives for trained personnel to remain in the service by:

Doubling the take home pay of all enlisted E-5 and above with more than 4 years' service, warrant officers, and all commissioned officers with more than 4 years' active commissioned service.

Denying reenlistment to E-3 and below.

Requiring that 1st reenlistment

be for not less than 4 years.

Selecting officers for retention after completion of 4 years' service, in numbers required, but not to exceed 90% of eligibles.

I believe that experienced officers of all services would agree that the gain in efficiency with more experienced personnel, and consequent reduction in training and turnover overhead costs, would be enough that each service could reduce its personnel numbers sufficiently to pay the cost of this pay increase with pay saved, and still operate with greater efficiency than it does today.

J. S. HOLTWICK, JR.
CAPTAIN, U. S. NAVY

Responsibility & Authority

Editor, THE JOURNAL:

There is no doubt that our Officers Corps will continue to be fed by the ambitious cream of American Youth—Youth of intelligence, confidence, purpose and vitality. As products of our way of life, they are born individualistic. Because of this, our Armed Services have successfully accomplished that which military minds the world over have thought to be the impossible.

Our accomplishments have not been only the result of great material weight. Indeed, the largest contributing factor was the adding of fuel to the already burning ego of our people and our services. I am convinced that in peace, as in conflict, we must continue to add that fuel; to contribute to that ego. I am further convinced that the method of doing this is simple.

Human beings accept authority, sight unseen, with surprising willingness. On the other hand, responsibility is usually looked upon with apprehension. Thus, in the application of these terms to our tasks, we may preconceive the approach one might psychologically take in the outset. With the tremendous job confronting us, there can be only one approach that will insure success. That approach is the "affirmative"

ing there of the importance of the work of the Inter-American Defense Board, on which 19 of the 21 American republics are represented and which is headed by an officer of the U. S. Air Force, Lt. Gen. H. A. Craig.

In his recent report to the President on U. S. Latin American relations, Dr. Milton S. Eisenhower strongly stressed the importance to us of our Southern neighbors and our importance to them. Good-will missions, like the forthcoming one, can contribute heavily to mutual understanding and cooperation. In fact, it is a good pattern that might well be extended to include visits to other world neighbors.

IN THE JOURNAL

10 Years Ago—Fighter airplanes employing jet propulsion engines soon will be in production, having passed experimental tests successfully, the War Department announced 6 Jan. Jet propulsion engines were originally of British design. Full information about this engine was disclosed in July, 1941, to the U. S. Army Air Forces.

50 Years Ago—With the transmission to the House of the report of the Joint Army and Navy Board urging the immediate provision of means for fortifying Subic Bay and Manila Bay, the whole responsibility for the defense of American interests in the Philippines is placed squarely on the shoulders of Congress. The opinion of the board is unanimous, and the report was written by Admiral Dewey.

90 Years Ago—An order has been issued from the Army of the Potomac prohibiting newspaper correspondents from publishing the number or designation of regiments reenlisting in the Army or leaving the same, the number of reenlistments or the number of men furloughed.

approach. There is only one term that will assure this approach. That term is "authority." We must in peace, as in war, build on a proven foundation—the individual. We must build on people; not numbers. We will succeed in utilization; not in classification.

The exercise of authority must expose ability as surely as it will ineffectiveness. It will, as nothing else, contribute to the development of the former and the elimination of the latter. Responsibility is the job; authority is the only tool. How can we find the ineffective if we continually cloak him with minute direction? What opportunity has ability, by the same reasoning? Officer Effectiveness Reports contain a statement upon which it is mandatory to comment. It concerns the " . . . capacity" of the rated officer "to handle jobs of increased scope and greater responsibility." In still another section we find the statement, "Consider his sense of responsibility" At no point in these reports is there any comment concerning his authority or his understanding thereof, except implication. Use the term! Increased authority is the only reward for military accomplishment. Responsibility is the naturally acquired lot of us all. The keynote toward a successful Officers Corps in the United States Air Force is constant confidence, utmost delegation and support. Give our officers a yardstick; not an assortment of inches. Then, in the end, take a tip from a really great leader, Winston Churchill, who said, " . . . military commanders should not be judged by results, but by the quality of their efforts." And consider, too, that this statement was made at a time when British arms were suffering the greatest defeats in the history of their existence.

WILLIAM S. HALE
MAJOR, USAF

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Fight for "Hard-Core" Ahead

CHAIRMAN DEWEY SHORT (R-Mo.) was to receive from the Defense Department detailed answers to his long list of questions regarding military morale, published in full in *THE JOURNAL* of 7 Nov. 1953. The Pentagon's response came a week after the date mentioned in Mr. Short's letter, but officials said this was completely satisfactory to the Chairman.

Mr. Short has given strong indication during recent weeks that he will fight hard for action to raise Service Attractiveness, although he is not likely to give support to a pay raise.

The Pentagon replies to his questions concerning pay, promotions, retirement, dependent care and education, housing, leave policies, shipment of household goods, etc., are expected to provide him with heavy ammunition in the event that the Appropriations Committee should try again this year to snip "fringe benefits" by use of riders on money bills.

SENATOR SALTONSTALL, who happens to be chairman of the Armed Services Committee, is unhappy over a Navy action which will result in discharge of 1200 employees at the Boston Naval Shipyard. This, says the Senator in a letter to Navy Secretary Robert B. Anderson, "is much more serious than anything indicated in the course of discussions with the Department of the Navy last Fall." He said that "nothing of the magnitude which is now in prospect was remotely suggested."

Senator Saltonstall pointed to "unfortunate effects" of the layoffs in an area where there is "serious unemployment" and urged Secretary Anderson to do "everything possible" to alleviate the situation, including reassignment to Boston of submarine work.

CAPT. EARLE D. CHESNEY, USNR, inactive, was named this week to the White House Congressional liaison staff. He has been the Veterans Administration legislative liaison expert on Capitol Hill

for years. Captain Chesney served on active duty with the Bureau of Supplies and Accounts during hostilities in Korea. At the White House, he will be a close associate of Maj. Gen. Wilton B. Persons, USA-Ret., who is one of the President's top advisors on legislative matters.

PRESIDENTIAL RELUCTANCE to make any more recess promotions held up some advancements for general and flag officers late in '53. Consequently, it can be anticipated that the Senate soon will be asked to confirm a number of promotions to star rank. Additionally, of course, the Senate must O.K. the scores of general and admiral promotions made while Congress was not in session.

"INDIAN GIVING" of Servicemen's benefits came under attack the first day of the second session of the 83d Congress as Representative Bob Wilson (R-Calif.) sponsored legislation to guarantee benefits for men and women in uniform at the time of their enlistment. His measure is similar to recent discussion at the Pentagon of a "Servicemen's Bill of Rights."

Here's what the California Congressman had to say about the loss of benefits and their effect on military morale:

"After talking with servicemen in this country and overseas, during the Congressional recess, I am convinced action must be taken to reassure members of the Armed Services that the benefits to which they are entitled and accustomed will be guaranteed as a provision of their enlistment."

"Removal or decreasing of benefits to Servicemen, without a corresponding increase in pay, has resulted in a net loss of income to service people at a time of rising cost of living," the Congressman stated.

"The measure I have introduced would guarantee, through contracts of enlistment, their rights to specific benefits, which might include retirement, hospitalization including care of dependants, commissaries, post exchanges, travel allowances, reenlistment bonuses, housing, shipment of household effects or uniform allowance. If

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READERS' VIEWS

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Services' Biggest Bowl?

Editor, *THE JOURNAL*:

In the 26 Dec. issue of *THE JOURNAL* the 504th Airborne Inf. claims that their "Tucker Tumbler" is the largest sterling silver trophy in the world. In reality the "Tumbler" is a punch bowl and while it may be the tallest and most expensive punch bowl I doubt if it has the capacity of any of the following bowls which I have encountered:

First: The bowl presented by the State of Louisiana, with a cup for each parish, to the old Battleship of that name. In 1934 this bowl was again presented to the then newest cruiser, *USS New Orleans*, together with the bowl from the old cruiser of that name.

Second: The bowl of the 30th U. S. Infantry. This bowl was buried on Corregidor when the Japs moved in and was later dug up and brought to Manila. Thanks to B. G. (now M. G.) Arthur Trudeau, this bowl was loaned to the Army-Navy Club, Manila, for the Club's reopening late in 1945 and for the Christmas and New Year's parties.

Third: The bowl of the 9th U. S. Infantry, the most distinguished bowl of them all. In the course of the Boxer Rebellion the retreating Chinese, in their extreme haste, left behind a large quantity of silver tael some of which was rescued by the 9th Infantry. Part of this silver was sent to the Number One silversmith in Yokohama to be made up into a punch bowl and cups, one for each officer of the Regiment, I believe. The late Captain Frank Ramsey, Adjutant of the Regiment, was in charge of this project. Fortunately, he was sent to Yokohama to check up and he found that this supposedly high class firm of silversmiths had made up a plated punch bowl to foist off on the Regiment with the idea of course, of keeping more than their agreed share of the silver. Just when the bowl was completed I do not know but it was finally shipped to New York on the *USS Marietta* at considerable inconvenience to her Captain. The bowl was too big to go through the fore hatch and was stored in

the Captain's cabin. I believe there was a lot of difficulty with the customs people in New York but Captain Ramsey (who by the way, was the father of Admiral Duke Ramsey) straightened that out and the bowl was sent to Madison Barracks in 1902.

If any one knows the whereabouts of any of these bowls I wish they would write to *THE JOURNAL* or to me.

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Stop the Downward Trend!

Editor, *THE JOURNAL*:

Since you have been such a staunch supporter of the Services for many years I am writing you concerning the present position of those of us who are making a career of the service and who are trying to influence others to do likewise. Sirs, the question is, how much more is going to be taken away, with the recent decision prohibiting the sale of bottle whisky on military installations, I believe we have reached a new low. Now, the proposed pay raise which we have been looking forward to compensate for some of the loss in so called fringe benefits has been ruled out by the chairman of the House Armed Services Committee.

On the one hand the Congress and Service Chiefs are emphasizing economy and on the other they are allowing the benefits to dwindle away until it is next to impossible to interest young outstanding personnel (Commissioned as well as Enlisted) to consider an Army career. It is hard to reconcile these two, since the rapid turnover of personnel is terribly costly to the government.

Anything further you can do to stop the downward trend will be sincerely appreciated because those who are remaining in the service for purely patriotic reasons are becoming scarce.

LT. COL. TC
US Army

Some Candid Remarks by General Collins—

COMMENT ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS

GENERAL J. Lawton Collins, with refreshing forthrightness, this past week laid straight on the line a number of things which needed saying, but which most of his civilian and military colleagues have been evading, apparently out of fear of scaring somebody with the truth. His remarks dealt with the prospects in the European Command of NATO and included these items:

1. That while the talk is of 80 Allied divisions (counting reserve divisions), which now can be recognized as in General Gruenther's control, those which are immediately available in the West and at readiness number not more than 18. The celerity with which others can be brought into action is a variable, but it is just as well to have realities stated with the bluntness employed by America's member of the Military Committee and the Standing Group. Besides those on fairly quick call in the West, there are the Greek and Turkish divisions, some of which can be brought West at need but which in those easterly lands, it must be remembered, serve the dual purpose of protecting their own national frontiers and of pinning down potentially hostile eastern forces exactly where they are.

2. There are no present plans to reduce the strength of our forces in Europe (the question being occasioned by the announcement of prospective withdrawal of two infantry divisions from the Far East). But General Collins pointed out that as time goes on, certainly, the United States will evaluate the effect of new weapons, and it would be foolish to think that those mighty weapons' availability will have no effect on tactics, or on the numbers of ground troops, air, and naval forces required to use such tactics effectively. But, he added, it would be equally foolish to reach a conclusion far in advance of a precise knowledge of facts yet to be revealed.

3. Of these new weapons the atomic-artillery cannon is most emphatically a thing to be reckoned with. It is obvious it will be used to support our Allies as well as our own infantry, and it is equally obvious that the knowledge and techniques we are sharing with our Allies, looking toward that common support, do not exceed the total specified by Congress.

4. It having been brought out that the atomic-shell is by one measure only one-tenth as efficient as an atomic-bomb using the same amount of fission material, General Collins gave prompt assurance that this does not argue at all against use of the shell. (The critical mass in the bomb, one gathers, is spherical, permitting a uniform and simultaneous clashing of a maximum of the mixture's neutrons—hence a maximum explosion. The shell's elongated shape, on the other hand, compels its neutrons to travel varying distances, hence producing a series of explosions rather than one mighty bang.) The shell still has one incomparable virtue: it can be laid down thriftily and precisely on target, without inhumane and useless demolition of all about it or peril of a wide miss, and it can do that in any weather. And if the shell has but one-tenth the explosive powers of a bomb, it still has several hundred times the powers of any previous shell in history, which is about all that a reasonable artilleryman feels like asking.



GEN. COLLINS

EUROPEAN ARMY hopes for the near future have unquestionably been badly shaken by political developments in Italy, following close on those which left France in imbalance almost on the eve of the scheduled Big Four conference in Berlin. France's indecisions, and their effect on European Defense Community ratification, have been appraised many times in the past month, but until last Tuesday there was a hope that the mounting political discontent in Italy's parliament would be overcome by Premier Giuseppe Pella, whose strong guidance in financial matters had brought him to power last Summer after the fall of De Gasperi. Signor Pella's exasperated decision to resign was the result of disagreement with members of his own Christian Socialist party over a new cabinet appointment. But basically it results from the horrors of the multi-party system (cursing Italy as well as France) which in the last election produced so much of a split up even of the middle parties as to permit the forming of a new government only by coalition. Even the coalition was barely a majority, so that Signor Pella has been faced from the outset with uncertainty of prolonged life in office. Within the Italian parliament there has undoubtedly been a wish for a more vigorous internal development policy (despite the fact that Italy's internal gains since the war have been unprecedented and that nation's general condition is extremely good). Signor Pella's zeal for the European Defense Community was commendable, and it is unfortunate that the Trieste incident cost him support which his EDC program needed. It is unfortunate too that Anglo-American diplomacy, certainly not at its best in the Trieste matter, was to a considerable degree responsible for the premier's troubles, for they redound to the injury of EDC, which happens to need Italian ratification quite as much as French. Altogether there is a good deal of reason to worry about the immediate future of EDC, and the Berlin meeting's effect on it is hardly likely to be helpful.

MIDDLE EAST diplomacy, with a considerable assist from Washington, is clearly working toward a Turkey-Iraq-Pakistan defense alliance, regardless of India's explicit hostility to Pakistan arming and Russia's reported bold declaration of countering our arming of Pakistan by putting airbases in Afghanistan. The reason for such an alliance was discussed in these columns some months ago. It is in reality an alternative to a more complete plan which totally failed of fulfillment, primarily because it was impossible to win Egypt as a necessary element in the program for a Suez alliance including Britain, Greece, Turkey, France, and Egypt. That failing, and the Arab-Israel hostility thwarting any idea of an all-inclusive coalition, it became necessary to make a wholly new approach to the setting up of a Middle East defense against aggression. A complete bloc being unattainable, the decision was to build up a sturdy western bastion in Turkey and start erection of an eastern bastion in Pakistan, willing, capable but still almost unarmed. It is not surprising, past affiliations considered, that Iraq now is added, for its geographic location makes it a useful addition to the alliance. Its need of arms and training—indeed of almost everything—is obvious, but its land routes and potential airfields are indispensable. Iran is neutral, of course.

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MEMO**News And Gossip
For Journal Readers**

GEN. O. P. WEYLAND, FEAF CG, is considered a top prospect to succeed Gen. John K. Cannon as chief of the Tactical Air Command when the latter retires in March. Return of Gen. Weyland is likely, since he will complete three years Far East duty in May. The AF was disappointed when he was not named to succeed Gen. Mark W. Clark as Far East Commander.

ARMY REORGANIZATION proposals were being readied for announcement as The Journal went to press. Some surprise was occasioned by the fact that the report of the high-level civilian committee was delayed beyond its end-of-year deadline. The report is expected to complement Reorganization Plan No. 6 which covered the entire Defense Department. A Navy Reorganization Committee is also at work, while the Air Force is conducting a similar study, using its own Headquarters personnel.

PENTAGON INDECISION continues with regard to the problem of the thousands of Army engineers personnel assigned to the Air Force—SCARWAF personnel as they are known. The issue is now reported at the Secretarial level, with the Air Force wanting its own engineer set-up but preferring that the Army provide training back-up. The Army, faced with heavy manpower cuts, would like to eliminate the spaces needed to support the SCARWAF program.

PENTAGON CYNICS wondered this week about the Navy's announcement at noon on Thursday, just before the State of the Union address, concerning delay in launching of the USS Forrestal. With the President's speech commanding large attention, the Navy's story was relatively little noticed. Could it be that the Navy didn't find out about the delay until the last moment?

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BENEFICIAL SUGGESTION inequity is pointed up in news releases received this week. One report from Europe tells of a \$50 award to a civilian employee of the Army for a suggestion which will save \$600 a year. Another from Ft. Houston, Tex., tells how \$556,997 will be saved for taxpayers during the first year as a result of a non-cash-reward plan devised by CWO Allen Freeman, a veteran of 37 years service. The Air Force particularly has sought authority for cash payments to military personnel for beneficial suggestions, but chances of enactment of such legislation are seen slim.

THE TERM "BRASS" is frowned upon by many Pentagon chiefs, but its use is not likely to be ended—particularly if official publications use it. A recent issue of an AF Air Training Command publication, referring to a study aimed at raising the prestige of top-kicks, says that "most first sergeants feel that prestige will come as natural course if the brass gives them the power and trust."

MORE THAN 10% of the total Air Force strength are airmen who complete "non-career" first-term enlistments in FY '55. If an energetic recruiting program succeeds in signing up considerable numbers from among this group, AF officials feel a giant stride will be made towards efficiency and economy. On the other hand, if these men, with relatively small exceptions, ask out the AF will have a rough problem on its hands—with the specter of the draft haunting its leaders. It can be expected therefore that there will be even stronger demands on commanders to spur reenlistments, possibly similar to the direct communication approach used last year by the Marine Corps Commandant to impress upon his commanders the necessity of raising the re-up rate.

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CRITICAL NURSE SHORTAGE in the Army will be alleviated somewhat by a new plan which will permit 250 registered nurses to earn a bachelor's or master's degree in a nursing field under Army auspices. They will receive \$338.58 per month, plus uniform allowance, serving in the Nurse Corps Reserve, but attending classes as a full time student. Each nurse will be required to serve three years, but the time spent in earning the degree will count. It's the first step towards a proposed program to subsidize complete nursing education for qualified women who would agree to serve minimum tours of active duty.

TRAFFIC DEATHS in the Navy and Marine Corps, not including pedestrians and motorcyclists, accounted for the equivalent of two destroyer crews during '53. All of the Services are concerned over heavy losses by accidents, many caused by men trying to go too far too fast on weekends.

SHIPBOARD HABITABILITY studies in the Navy have resulted in compilation of an 8000-page, 12 volume report. Navy men are concerned that the economy drive will jeopardize plans to improve shipboard life.

CONCERN about the legality of a recent Navy retention board is being expressed by USNR lieutenants who fell at the bottom of the list and, consequently, are being RIF'd. An official directive states that when Reserve personnel only are being considered by a board, "at least a majority" of the board members must be Reservists. The board in question had three USN members (one flag officer and two captains), and three USNR members (two captains and one Wave commander).

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FOR THE SECOND TIME in a row the Air Force has named a former WAVE officer to head the WAF. Some WAFs are disappointed that one of their own veteran officers did not get the spot; they point out the new WAF chief has served only five years in the Air Force. Meantime, a number of WAVES who have been unhappy over advancement opportunities are wondering aloud whether their chances would not be better in the wild blue yonder rather than in Navy blue.

"PROJECT TINKERTOY," the new system for cutting down the amount of hand labor in electronic manufacturing, has been given a new name by the Navy. It will hereafter be referred to as "Modular Design of Electronics."

ANIMAL INJURIES in event of atomic attack are under special study by an Army Veterinary Corps officer. He is Lt. Col. Bernard F. Trum, conducting research at Oak Ridge, Tenn.

SALVAGE SAVINGS in Korea are soaring. During the last 11 months, IX Corps has tabulated savings of almost \$22 million, according to Col. John H. Heil, jr., G-4.

THREE MILLION MAN HOURS of engineering were required for development of the Air Force's B-52 bomber. By comparison, the B-17 needed only 153,000 engineering man hours.

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Marsh, 1st Lt Todd S, Chicago, Ill.
Gilbert, Col Vernon, Norfolk, Va.
Allen, Col William H, jr, Wash, DC.

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Redifer, 1st Lt R D Armstrong, 1st Lt J
Clark, 1st Lt W L Voss, 1st Lt D H

From Ft Sill, Okla:
Cobb, Capt F J Schatz, 1st Lt J D
McDowell, 1st Lt E E Conerly, 1st Lt M R
Goldsmith, 1st Lt G D Chavez, 1st Lt Leo
Russell, 1st Lt H Godfrey, 1st Lt T H
Willis, 1st Lt J C Martin, 1st Lt H H
Thompson, 1st Lt R L Dixon, 1st Lt I J, jr
Gee, 1st Lt W R Briggs, 1st Lt J L
Worthy, Capt W C Newman, 1st Lt F W

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McCrary, 1st Lt C H Gibbs, 1st Lt A H
Fitzgerald, 1st Lt A P

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Robinson, 1st Lt J W Veltschegger, 2d Lt
Seideman, Capt C H Frank A

Delk, 1st Lt J L Stratton, 1st Lt L W
Brantley, 1st Lt C S Scott, 1st Lt L B
Peoples, 1st Lt A G Siewert, 1st Lt O R
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Semon, 1st Lt N N

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Maj Gen Samuel D Sturgis, C of E
Bremkamp, Lt Col Louis E, Wash, DC, to
9804th TSU S Atlantic Div, Ft Knox, Ky.
Kingsbury, Lt Col William S, jr, Keflavik,
Iceland, to Tr Point, Ft Lee, Va.
Anderson, Capt Fred E, jr, Chicago, to Hq
Sp Wpns Project 8451st AAU, Wash, DC.
Kelm, Capt Robert F, Chicago, to 925th Engr
Avn Gp, Alaska.
Walters, Capt John J, Ft Campbell, Ky, to
30th Engr Base Topo Bn, Ft Winfield Scott,
Calif.
Lichtenberg, 1st Lt Alan A, Mobile, Ala, to
Buford Dam, Buford, Ga.
Marmo, 2d Lt Joseph, Ft Ord, Calif, to 809th
Engr Avn Bn, Korea.
Johnson, 2d Lt Herbert A, Ft Scott, Calif, to
Stu Off Co Army Avn Sch, Ft Sill, Okla.
D'Angelo, 2d Lt Robert D, Ft Ord, Calif, to
USRAL.

From Ft Belvoir, Va

To station indicated:
Anderson, 2d Lt Thomas F, jr, 27th Engr C
Bn, Ft Campbell, Ky.
Avery, 2d Lt Thomas L, 20th Engr C Bn, Ft
Bragg, NC.
Beadle, 2d Lt David H, 127th Abn Engr Bn, Ft
Campbell, Ky.
Brown, 2d Lt Robert L, 95th Engr C Bn, Ft
Lewis, Wash.
Cast, 2d Lt Scott G, 973d Engr Const Bn, Cp
Carson, Colo.
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Ft Sheridan, Ill.
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Carson, Colo.
Evensen, 2d Lt John R, 95th Engr C Bn, Ft
Lewis, Wash.
Falls, 2d Lt Joseph A, 407th Engr C Bn, Ft
Campbell, Ky.
Freeman, 2d Lt Richard L, 46th Engr Const
Bn, Ft Hood, Tex.
Gardner, 2d Lt Montell L, 112th Engr C Bn,
Cp Polk, La.
Hale, 2d Lt Howard H, 407th Engr C Bn,
Ft Campbell, Ky.
Holsten, 2d Lt William P, 423d Engr Const
Bn, Cp Rucker, Ala.
Jackson, 2d Lt Earl, jr, 682d Engr C Bn, Cp
Rucker, Ala.
Jacobson, 2d Lt John W, 112th Engr C Bn,
Cp Polk, La.
Knighton, 2d Lt Roderick G, 78th Engr C,
Bn, Ft Benning, Ga.
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Cp Carson, Colo.
Miller, 2d Lt Thomas N, 78th Engr C Bn,
Cp Polk, La.
Morrison, 2d Lt Carroll R, 112th Engr C Bn,
Cp Polk, La.
Norling, 2d Lt Robert D, 407th Engr C Bn,
Ft Campbell, Ky.
Ray, 2d Lt Roland C, 423d Engr Const Bn,
Cp Rucker, Ala.
Richardson, 2d Lt James E, 61st Engr Const
Bn, Ft Hood, Tex.
Rowland, 2d Lt Richard H, 32d Engr C Bn,
Cp Carson, Colo.
Sawyer, 2d Lt James E, 423d Engr Const Bn,
Cp Rucker, Ala.
Sheppard, 2d Lt James E, 682d Engr C Bn,
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Shields, 2d Lt George D, 127th Abn Engr Bn,
Ft Campbell, Ky.
Stein, 2d Lt Morris H, 973d Engr Const Bn,
Cp Carson, Colo.
Leiser, 1st Lt Bruce J, USRAL.

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To 6th Armd Div, Ft Leonard Wood, Mo

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Boeke, 2d Lt R A Schemel, 2d Lt J H
Daugherty, 2d Lt R C Tooley, 2d Lt J C
McTernan, 2d Lt E K Wiggers, 2d Lt H R

Roark, 2d Lt E M Willis, 2d Lt H R
Ross, 2d Lt S T

To 47th Army Engr Cam Bn, Ft Riley, Kans

From Ft Belvoir, Va:

Bubany, 2d Lt John J
Glasscock, 2d Lt Robert C
Montgomery, 2d Lt Gene L
Selzer, 2d Lt Max D

To USAFFE

From station indicated:
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cisco, Cal.

Looney, Lt Col Carl A, jr, Wash, DC.
Crowley, 2d Lt James J, Ft Devens, Mass.
McClain, 2d Lt Richard C, Ft Campbell, Ky.
Moot, 2d Lt Harrison J, Ft Leonard Wood,
Mo.

Tabors, Lt Col John I, New York, NY.
Trimble, Lt Col Homer, New York, NY.
Oreskovic, Capt Ray, Ft Ord, Cal.
Rodriguez, 2d Lt George C, Ft Ord, Cal.
Robertson, 2d Lt Howard L, Ft Campbell, Ky.
Cawley, Maj Thomas A, Ft Banks, Mass.
Gueldner, Capt Walter J, jr, Auburn, Wash.
Allen, Lt Col Milton B, St Louis, Mo.
Harris, 2d Lt Bernard P, Ft Sheridan, Ill.
Gilmore, 1st Lt Granville L, Cp Carson, Colo.
Howland, Lt Col Charles F, Denver, Colo.
Bodnar, 2d Lt Donald R, Cp Atterbury, Ind.

From Ft Belvoir, Va:

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Steele, 2d Lt R D Johnson, 1st Lt M D
Uren, 2d Lt W G Beck, 2d Lt D A
Moore, 2d Lt W T, jr Hippesley, 2d Lt R H
Lauricella, 2d Lt F E Hagan, 2d Lt K R
Savage, Maj F L Curtis, 2d Lt R G, jr
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From Cp Rucker, Ala:

Owens, 2d Lt L B, jr Kiline, 2d Lt D H
Watson, 2d Lt R W Harry L, jr

From Ft Bragg, NC:

Tenney, 2d Lt J B, jr Rosenbaum, 2d Lt
Clement, 2d Lt A L Harry L, jr
Byrd, 2d Lt R T

From Ft Lewis, Wash:

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Henry, 2d Lt S R Muller, 2d Lt R A
Mitchell, 2d Lt T L Kennedy, Lt Col K W
Turner, 2d Lt D N Miller, 1st Lt A F
Jass, 2d Lt R F

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Morgan, 2d Lt A H, jr Glessey, 2d Lt W P
Ohlman, 2d Lt K H Marx, 2d Lt W H
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Enyart, 2d Lt E M

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John W Henry C, jr
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Murff, 2d Lt J S

To Fifth AF, Japan

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Stann, Capt Walter A, Watertown, Mass.
Bowers, 2d Lt Gerald L, Ft Hood, Tex.
Glenn, 2d Lt Andrew J, III, Cp Rucker, Ala.
Opengart, 2d Lt Alfred, Ft Lewis, Wash.
Trollinger, 2d Lt Joseph W, Cp Rucker, Ala.
Gundry, 1st Lt Richard F, Ft Belvoir, Va.

To USAF, Europe 7th Engr Avn Brig

Poteet, Lt Col Harry H, Ft Belvoir, Va.
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Ky.
Grosjean, 2d Lt Bryan W, Ft Hood, Tex.

To USAREUR

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Scarboro, 1st Lt Charlie W, Ft Riley, Kans.
Wood, 2d Lt Joseph S, jr, Ft Benning, Ga.

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Beavers, 2d Lt Clarence E
Foglesong, 2d Lt Jimmy L
Phinney, 2d Lt William C

From Ft Meade, Md:

Akers, 2d Lt William L
Dalley, 2d Lt Richard M

From Ft Knox, Ky:

Perry, 2d Lt Kenneth M
Hillman, 2d Lt William S

From Ft Campbell, Ky:

Price, 2d Lt Carl G
Rake, 2d Lt Donald M

SIGNAL CORPS—

Maj Gen George I Back, CSO

Seroggs, Lt Col John P, Cp Stoneman, Calif,
to 9400th TSU SigC Cen, Ft Monmouth,
NJ.

Sullivan, Capt Patrick D, Ft Campbell, Ky.
Friedle, 2d Lt Willard, Ft Riley, Kans, to
9400th TSU Sig C, Ft Monmouth, NJ.

Harrison, 2d Lt James M, jr, Cp Stoneman,
Calif, to 532d Sig Co, Ft Sheridan, Ill.

Ingram, 2d Lt Harvie T, Cp Gordon, Ga, to
Stu Off Co Army Avn Sch, Ft Sill, Okla.

Ligon, 2d Lt Guy C, jr, Cp Stoneman, Calif,
to 400th Sig Co, Cp Gordon, Ga.

To 9600th TSU Sig C Tag Co, Cp Gordon, Ga

From Ft Monmouth, NJ:

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Bush, 2d Lt Guy L, jr Frazier, 2d Lt Robt E
From Ft Monmouth, NJ

To station indicated:

Hoak, 2d Lt H Robert, 490th Sig Co, Cp Gor-
don, Ga.
Robertson, 2d Lt Robert L, jr, 24th Sig Bn,
Ft Devens, Mass.

Arnold, 2d Lt Thomas H, 9584th TSU Sig C
Engr Lab Fld Sta No 4, Ft Meade, Md.
Vertrees, 2d Lt Orman L, 62d Sig Co, Ft
Lewis, Wash.

Wall, 2d Lt John D, 232d Sig Spt Co, Cp Gor-
don, Ga.

Warner, 2d Lt Joe B, Stu Off Co Army Avn
Sch, Ft Sill, Okla.

Weber, 2d Lt Edward V, 54th Sig Rep Co,
Ft Hood, Tex.
McDonald, 2d Lt Gerald L, 511th Abn Sig Co,
Ft Campbell, Ky.

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Co, Ft Wadsworth, NY.

Yuhas, 2d Lt John Jr, 490th Sig Co, Cp Gor-
don, Ga.

Stumpff, 2d Lt George E, Stu Off Co Army
Avn Sch, Ft Sill, Okla.

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Cp Gordon, Ga.

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Mass.

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La.

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Devens, Mass.

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Meade, Md.

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don, Ga.

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Ft Sam Houston, Tex.

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Depot Hq and Hq Co, Ft Holabird, Md.

Cavender, 2d Lt Doyle M, jr, 303d Sig Bn,
Ft Hood, Tex.

Hatrup, 2d Lt Gordon G, 836th Sig Co, Ft
Lewis, Wash.

Nightengale, 2d Lt Louis W, 303d Sig Bn, Ft
Hood, Tex.

Hunter, 2d Lt Herbert W, 66th Sig C Bn,
Ft Bragg, NC.

Bonazoli, 2d Lt Robert P, 15th Ord Bn, Ft
Bliss, Tex.

Bourassa, 2d Lt Eldon G, 9577th TSU White
Sands Sig C Agency White Sands Pr Gr,
Las Cruces, NMex.

Cantrell, 2d Lt James R, 9577th TSU White
Sands Sig C Agency White Sands Pr Gr,
Las Cruces, NMex.

Brings, 2d Lt Gerald R, 15th Ord Bn, Ft Bliss,
Tex.

Martinson, 2d Lt David N, 511th Abn Sig Co,
Ft Campbell, Ky.

To USAFFE

From station indicated:
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Schneider, 2d Lt Delwin N, White Sands Pr
Gr, NMex.

Dougherty, Lt Col Edward J, Ft Monmouth,
NJ.

Moskowitz, Lt Col Irving L, Ft Monmouth,
NJ.

Warlick, Maj William A, Ft Benning, Ga.
Nims, 1st Lt Richard H, jr, Wash, DC.

Grant, 2d Lt James T, White Sands Pr Gr,
NMex.

Hughes, 2d Lt Robert C, White Sands Pr Gr,
NMex.

Erie, Capt Luther M, Somerville, NJ.

Dill, Capt Richard D, Las Cruces, NMex.

Lehman, 2d Lt Fred O, Chicago, Ill.

Davis, 2d Lt Donzelle, Li City, NY.

Ison, 2d Lt Ollie E, Cp Rucker, Ala.

Circillo, 2d Lt Alfred S, Ft Monmouth, NJ.

Tennant, 2d Lt Frank B, jr, Wash, DC.

George, 2d Lt David S, Cp Chaffee, Ark.

Caldonna, Col Dominick J, Ft Bragg, NC.

From Ft Meade, Md:
Hoffman, 2d Lt R D Smith, 2d Lt Wm H
Nicholson, 2d Lt J E

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S CORPS—

Maj Gen William E Bergin, TAG

O'Brien, Capt James E, San Francisco, to DA
Pers Mgt Team W Area Sub-Team, Ft
Lewis, Wash.

Weston, Capt John M, jr, Wash, DC, to US-
RAL.

Gordon, 1st Lt Phillips N, Toledo, Ohio, to
4205th ASU Armd Forces Exam Sta, Okla-
homa City, Okla.

Boes, 1st Lt John J, Governors Is, NY, to Stu
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Drew, 1st Lt Harley R, Ft Jackson, SC, to
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To USAFFE

From station indicated:

Gunn, Lt Col Raymond F, Brooklyn, NY.

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Stovall, Maj Joe, Ft Sam Houston, Tex.

Follette, Maj Roger L, New Orleans, La.

Callis, Maj Otis W, Ft MacArthur, Calif.

Gale, Maj Thomas L, Ft Bliss, Tex.

Bateman, Maj William T, Providence, RI.

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Walston, Capt Cecil D, Cp Rucker, Ala.

Keller, Maj Kenneth F, Cp Carson, Colo.

Lawton, Maj Robert C, Ft Lewis, Wash.

Bannon, Maj Cornelius E, Ft Lewis, Wash.

Piteri, Maj James, Ft McClellan, Ala.
Saxon, Maj Robert D, Ft Benning, Ga.
Erfurt, Capt Henry F, Carlisle Bks, Pa.
Kaczynski, Lt Col Edward J, Governors Is,
NY.

Bodine, Lt Col Charles L, Ft Mason, Calif.
Wallace, Maj Jack Jr, Chicago, Ill.

To USAREUR

From station indicated:
Branson, Capt Richard E, Cp Pickett, Va.
Prior, Lt Col Raymond W, Wash, DC.
Koup, Col Elmer L, Ft Harrison, Ind.

JUDGE ADVOCATE GENERAL'S CORPS—
Maj Gen E M Brannon, TJAG

Brunson, Capt John H, Ft Wood, Mo, to Hq
USFA.

QUARTERMASTER CORPS—

Maj Gen George A Horkan, QMC

Jonsson, Lt Col Irvin A, Jeffersonville, Ind,
to OTQMG, Wash, DC.

Wagner, Capt Matt R, Richmond, Va, to
9135th TSU QM Tng Comd, Ft Lee, Va.

Holverson, Capt Lee S, Battle Creek, Mich,
to 523d QM Subs Dep Co Utah Gen Dep,
USA, Ogden, Utah.

Severson, 1st Lt Lyman S, Ft Sheridan, Ill,
to Hq, USFA.

Peacock, 2d Lt Gordon H, Ft Campbell, Ky,
to 9135th TSU QM Tng Comd, Ft Lee, Va.

From Ft Lee, Va

To station indicated:
Egan, 2d Lt William F, 5022d ASU Sta Cmpl,
Cp Carson, Colo.

Hamlin, 2d Lt Clarence B, 535th QM Co, Ft
Devens, Mass.

Hopkins, 2d Lt Rexford L, 535th QM Co,
Ft Devens, Mass.

Hornor, 2d Lt Thomas R, 7071st ASU the
Engr Cen, Ft Belvoir, Va.

McMahon, 2d Lt David N, 5025th ASU Sta
Compl, Ft Leavenworth, Kans.

Otepka, 2d Lt Paul K, 1173d ASU Pers Cen,
Ft Devens, Mass.

Patterson, 2d Lt Tommy W, 533d QM Bn,
Ft Devens, Mass.

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Sve Sch, Cp Chaffee, Ark.

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Devens, Mass.

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Ft Hood, Tex.

Lyon, 2d Lt Harold H, Hq, USFA.

Collins, Maj Geo W, 214th ASU Sta Cmpl,
Cp Pickett, Va.

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Ft Campbell, Ky.

Whitehurst, Capt James L, OSD 8475th AAU,
Wash, DC.

Hussey, Capt Harold S, Hq Third Army, Ft
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Craver, 2d Lt John F, 8801st TSU PMG Cen,
Cp Gordon, Ga.

Biedermann, 2d Lt William L, 336th QM Bn,
Ft Hood, Tex.

Bond, Maj James E, USARCARIB (Panama).

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Sanders, Col Walter C, Wash, DC.

Ela, Col William E, Chicago, Ill.

Little, Col William, Jeffersonville, Ind.

O'Hair, Col John E, Ft Sam Houston, Tex.

Debliss, Maj Ernest E, New York, NY.

Prudhomme, Maj Lenace J, Ft Riley, Kans.

Shepherd, Capt James W, Cp Irwin, Calif.

Pollard, Capt William F, Ft Knox, Ky.

Hugill, Capt William W, Ft Bliss, Tex.

Specht, Capt Orville A, Ft Worth, Tex.

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Fullmer, 2d Lt B H

FINANCE CORPS—

Maj Gen Bickford Sawyer, C of F
Pearson, Lt Col Quenna A, Ft Meade, Md, to
Fin Cen USA 9002d AAU, Ft Harrison, Ind.
Ross, Capt Robert L, Atlanta, Ga, to Chat-
tanooga Br Office, Chattanooga, Tenn.
Cotterill, 1st Lt James W, Jr, Ft Campbell,
Ky, to 308th Mil Government Gp, Cp Gor-
don, Ga.

From Ft Harrison, Ind

To station indicated:
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Calif.

To 6012th ASU, Cp Stoneman, Calif:
Brenner, 2d Lt F N Martin, 2d Lt J H
Johns, 2d Lt H W

To 6006th ASU, Ft Lewis, Wash:
Winterberg, 2d Lt Hobbs, 2d Lt J G
Robert R Hull, 2d Lt Louis E

From station indicated:
Taylor, 2d Lt Harold T, Wash, DC.
Vernasco, 2d Lt Joseph P, Jr, Cp Rucker, Ala.

MEDICAL SERVICE—

Maj Gen George E Armstrong, SG
Medical Corps

Teresi, Capt Joseph L, Ft Sam Houston, Tex,
to 3420th ASU USAH, Ft Bragg, NC.
Florentino, Capt Domenic S, Cp Pickett, Va,
to USA Infirmary, Ft Tilden, NY.
Woelfel, Capt Gerard A, Hanford, Wash, to
44th Inf Div, Ft Lewis, Wash.
McCormick, Capt John L, Ft Hamilton, NY,
to 2154th ASU USAH, Ft Lee, Va.
Pillion, Capt John W, Cp Stoneman, Calif,
to 2151st-1 ASU USAH, Aberdeen Pr Gr,
Md.
Schwartz, Capt A David, Ft Hamilton, NY, to
1201st ASU USAH, Ft Jay, NY.
Sanchez, Capt Hillarion, Jr, Ft Sam Houston,
Tex, to USARCARIB (Antilles).
Gallindo, 1st Lt Nemorio L, Ft Bragg, NC, to
3461st ASU USAH, Cp Rucker, Ala.

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From station indicated:
Weiss, 1st Lt Paul O, Cp Stoneman, Calif.
Dodd, Capt James W, Ft Lee, Va.
Thompson, Capt Ian M, Ft Leonard Wood,
Mo.
Lilly, Maj Lewis J, Cp Carson, Colo.
Flene, 1st Lt Lawrence C, Cp Atterbury, Ind.
Angel, 1st Lt Klaus, Ft Belvoir, Va.
Chen, Maj William Y L, Ft Myer, Va.
Keller, Col Paul E, Ft Campbell, Ky.

From Cp Rucker, Ala:
Williams, Capt A C Bartlett, Capt M S
Hendricks, 1st Lt C J Lesko, Capt F L

From Ft Sam Houston, Tex:
Adler, Capt M L Kadlub, 1st Lt E D
Guy, Capt E G Lesser, 1st Lt Elliott
Magovern, Capt G J Newton, 1st Lt J D
Smalley, Capt M A Saunders, 1st Lt N W
Craig, 1st Lt J L Dobbins, 2d Lt J T, Jr

From Ft Sill, Okla:
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Bush, 2d Lt D C Hatfield, 2d Lt J L

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Tilley, Lt Col Charles E, Ft Sam Houston,
Tex.
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Washington, Maj Joseph L, Ft Dix, NJ.
Dowling, Lt Col Charles D, Ft Hood, Tex.
Wright, Capt Charles F, Ft Sam Houston,
Tex.
Musteller, 1st Lt Efigenio R, Ft Sam Hous-
ton, Tex.

DENTAL CORPS—

Maj Gen Walter D Love, Asst to SG
Coy, Capt Donald E, Ft Riley, Kans, to 44th
Inf Div, Ft Lewis, Wash.

MEDICAL CORPS—

Col Robert I Black, Chief
Haffey, Maj B Gean H, Jr, Cp Pickett, Va,
to 6513th ASU Calif A Res Advisor Gp, San
Francisco.
Horton, Capt Dean H, Ft Jackson, SC, to
9940th TSU Brooke AMC, Ft Sam Houston,
Tex.
Roberson, Capt Worsham B, Red River Arse-
nal, Tex, to 1st Sta Hosp, Brooke AMC,
Ft Sam Houston, Tex.
Wagoner, 2d Lt Dale E, Cp Atterbury, Ind, to
5043d ASU RS, Ft Sheridan, Ill.
Smith, 2d Lt Thos C, Ft Sill, Okla, to 274th
Med Det, Brooke AMC, Ft Sam Houston,
Tex.
Bosworth, 2d Lt Raymond P, Ft Sill, Okla, to
274th Med Det, Brooke AMC, Ft Sam Hous-
ton, Tex.
Edmond, 2d Lt Chas W, Ft Sill, Okla, to 274th
Med Det, Brooke AMC, Ft Sam Houston,
Tex.
Burford, 2d Lt Richard S, Memphis, Tenn, to
4009th ASU, Cp Polk, La.
Harker, 2d Lt Frederick M, Ft Sill, Okla, to
274th Med Det, Brooke AMC, Ft Sam Hous-
ton, Tex.

From Ft Sam Houston, Tex

To station indicated:
Lauterbach, 1st Lt Carl G, 3440th ASU USAH
Ft Benning, Ga.

McBride, 2d Lt Ralph H, Stu Det Army Avn
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Det Med Fld Svc Sch, Brooke AMC, Ft
Sam Houston, Tex.
Kolaska, Capt Stephanie D, Ft Campbell, Ky,
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Slegt, 1st Lt Dorothy M, Cp Stoneman, Calif,
to 5012th ASU USAH, Ft L Wood, Mo.
Cudd, 1st Lt Margaret, Cp Stoneman, Calif,
to 3420th ASU USAH, Ft Bragg, NC.

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Devore, Lt Col Leland S, Jr, Lacarne, Ohio,
to 9300th TSU OC of Ord, Wash, DC.
Nagle, Maj Harry C, Jr, Ft Benning, Ga, to
9336th TSU Frankford Arsenal, Philadel-
phia.
Dugan, Capt Leonard M, Cp Stoneman, Calif,
to 9333d TSU Lima Ord Depot, Lima, Ohio.
Flaggart, Capt James J, Jr, Aberdeen, Md, to
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TSU Cml C Mat Comd, Baltimore, Md.
Walsley, Col Harold, Baltimore, Md, to
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Woodall, 1st Lt John F, Cp Stewart, Ga, to
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Scruggs, 1st Lt James H, Cp Stoneman, Calif,
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Cen USA 9002d AAU, Ft Harrison, Ind.
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Henson, James T, sr, Ft Sam Houston, Tex.
Braswell, Ernest, Ft Campbell, Ky.
Wright, Alfred C, Ft Sill, Okla.
Easter, Charles E, Ft Hood, Tex.

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Stevens, Armenious Newsom, Donell
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Deltz, Thad B

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Hau, Bruce W, Cp Stoneman, Calif, to
2308th-2 ASU Ky NGUS Advisor, Frank-
fort, Ky.
Risting, John H, Ft Lawton, Wash, to 6th
Armd Div, Ft Leonard Wood.
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Dearie, Walter E, Albuquerque, NMex.
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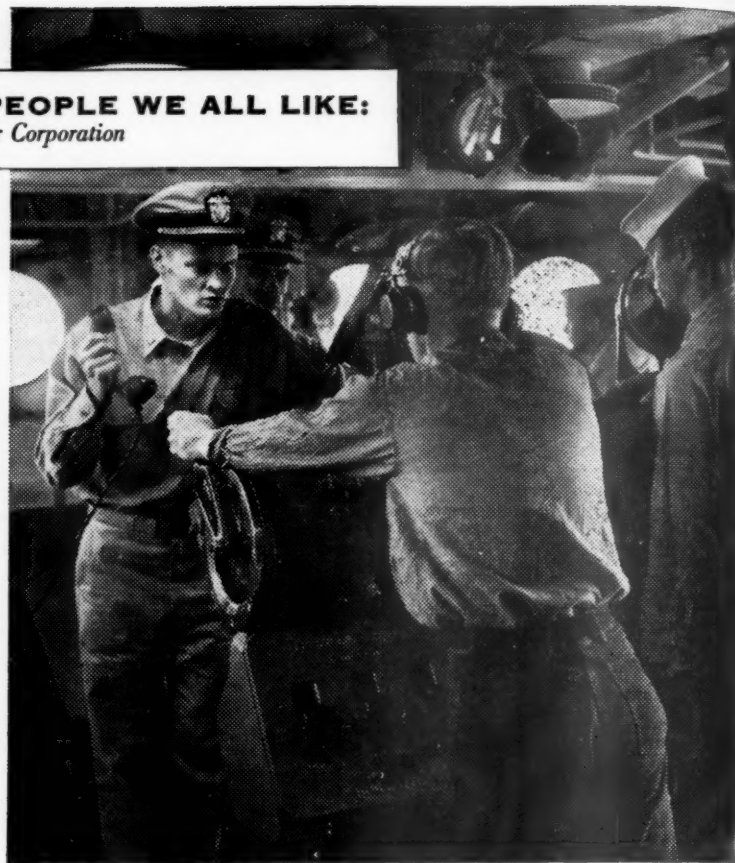
Walden, Col Louis M, Ord C, pd (90%). Rel
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cisco.
Brown, Col William H, TC; Rel fr Wash, DC.
Cordell, Col Ben E, Arty; Rel fr Ft Sam
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status; Rel fr Med Hold Det A and N
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TYPICAL CAREER OFFICER is Captain Allen Snyder, U.S. Army. Snyder enlisted in 1940, served every enlisted rank, received a battlefield commission after heroic action on the island of Leyte in World War II. Now Faculty Chief of training, 9th Infantry Division, Ft. Dix, N. J., Captain Snyder here instructs a new recruit in the use of the flame thrower.

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BUCKLING ON GEAR AS HE GOES, Capt. Richard Davis races for his jet fighter during an alert "scramble" at McGuire Air Force Base. In two minutes, he'll scream into the air, carrying live ammunition just in case it's the "real thing." On the alert 24 hours a day, these skilled jet pilots are key men in the program of the Air Defense Command.



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ments of military manpower, the traditional Academies are able to supply only 4 out of every 100 officers required to meet the needs of our modern fighting forces.

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Chosen as lads, deserving trust,
Willing to die, if die they must.*

*West Point, Annapolis are schools
Where honor's held by rigid rules.
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To train the boy to be a man.
That done, to serve his country's need,
His comrades he'll be fit to lead.*

*They are our nation's chosen best,
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For knowledge, courage, strength of will,
Devotion, patience, judgment, skill.
At first cadets, but every one
Men to command as time goes on.*

*Admirals, generals, captains all
Ready to answer duty's call
'Til peace shall come and war shall end,
On them for freedom we depend.
Men (in salute I raise my hand)
Trained to obey and to command.*

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THE LIAISON OFFICERS for the defense advisory committee for women in the services leave the Pentagon with Lt. Col. Emily C. Gorman, deputy director of the WAC. Representing the Navy, Army, Marines and Air Force, these officers are typical of the many women who have voluntarily entered the armed forces, finding a rewarding career for themselves while making their special contribution to our defense.



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Bremer, Lt Col William R, Inf; Rel fr Cp Stoneman, Calif.
Callahan, Lt Col George J, SigC; Rel fr Cp Gordon, Ga.
Cummings, Lt Col Ralph B, CmlC; Rel fr Pine Bluff, Ark.
Winslow, Lt Col Hugh W, Arty, ret as Col; Rel fr New York, NY.
Meyers, Lt Col Garth H, ret as Col; Rel fr Kearny, NJ.
Robison, Maj Norman C, MSC; ret as Lt Col; Rel fr Ft Lewis, Wash.
Kutzer, Maj Jean R, Arty, pd (100%); Rel fr Med Hold Det, Brooke AH, Ft Sam Houston, Tex.
Hale, Maj Sam T, QMC, pd (100%); Rel fr Med Hold Det USAH, Ft McClellan, Ala.
Locklear, Maj William C, TC; Rel fr Cp Stoneman, Calif.
Harsch, Maj Ernest M, AGC; Rel fr Ft Lawton, Wash.
Stout, Capt Donald G, Arty, pd (100%); Rel fr Med Hold Det, Walter Reed AH, Wash, DC.
Jenkins, Capt Allison W, AGC, pd (100%); Rel fr Med Hold Det USAH, Cp Gordon, Ga.
Bowick, Capt William L, AGC, pd (20%); Rel fr Med Hold Det, Brooke AH, Ft Sam Houston, Tex.
Abeyta, Capt Michael G, Ord C; Rel fr Cp Stoneman, Calif.
Sherman, Capt Herbert J, CE, pd (100%); Rel fr Med Hold Det, Walter Reed AH, Wash, DC.
Higby, Capt Harold D, TC, pd (100%); Rel fr Med Hold Det, Brooke AH, Ft Sam Houston, Tex.
Roberts, Capt Lee, TC, Rel fr Ft Jay, NY.
Clark, Capt Ellis, AGC, pd (70%); Rel fr Med Hold Det, Brooke AH, Ft Sam Houston, Tex.
Cross, Capt Leo J, Arty; Rel fr Ft Devens, Mass.
Nath, Capt Carl T, AGC; Rel fr Monterey, Calif.
Garner, Capt Jesse P, MPC; ret as Maj; Rel fr Ft Benning, Ga.
Kurkowski, Capt Joseph P, Ord C, pr (60%); Rel fr Med Hold Det, Letterman AH, San Francisco.
La Blanc, 1st Lt Donald E, Inf; pd (40%); Rel fr Med Hold Det, USAH, Ft Benning, Ga.
Powell, 1st Lt Wayne E, Inf; pd (80%); Rel fr Med Hold Det, Walter Reed AH, Wash, DC.
Lang, 1st Lt Henry J, Jr, Inf; pd (80%); Rel fr Med Hold Det, Walter Reed AH, Wash, DC.
Horner, CWO Harold J, pd (30%); Rel fr Med Hold Det, Letterman AH, San Francisco.
Fowler, CWO Clarence A, pd (50%); Rel fr Med Hold Det, Walter Reed AH, Wash, DC.
Ripley, WOJG Michael E; Rel fr Ft Jay, NY.
Schatzman, WOJG Donald C, pd (80%); Rel fr Med Hold Det, Walter Reed AH, Wash, DC.
Via, George T, pd (80%); Rel fr Med Hold Det AH, Ft Sam Houston, Tex.
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Lemoine, 1st Lt Herbert G, Inf
Stanley, 1st Lt Henry, Inf
Lollar, 1st Lt Victor G, Inf
Siebaski, 2d Lt Frank G, Sig C
Hoyer, 2d Lt James R, Inf

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Davis, Jno N, Inf
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Wallis, Chas R, Inf Beard, L A, MPC
Beccio, R V, FC Calcaterra, K J, Arty
Dovalls, Geo J, OrdC Fosheim, E C, MPC
Smith, Russell V, AS Howalt, Jay S, AS
Willets, Arnold C, Inf Stephens, M M, TC
Batey, Elmer H, SigC Brice, L S, Arm

APPOINTED IN RA—

Chief Warrant Officer
Choquette, Louis T
Warrant Officer (jg)
Westbrooke, Wm E; contingent upon acpt of apt will be promoted to temp CWO.
Rogers, Roy L; contingent upon acpt of apt will be promoted to temp CWO.
Purcell, John J W.
Norman, Joseph L, sr; contingent upon acpt of apt will be promoted to temp CWO.
King, Stanhope H, Jr; contingent upon acpt of apt will be promoted to temp CWO.
Newland, Allen A, (reapt).
Hickey, Walter V; contingent upon acpt of apt will be promoted to temp CWO.
O'Sullivan, James V.

DISCHARGED—

Law, 1st Lt Marjorie J, ANC.
Kivett, Capt Robert H, SigC.
Pierce, Maj Edward E, Inf.
Langston, 1st Lt Jack C, Inf.

SEPARATIONS—

Boyle, Capt Freda M, WAC.
Altieri, Capt James J, Inf.
Dickens, Capt Fletcher P, Arty.
Akers, 1st Lt Harold W, Arty.
Welch, Maj Charles F, JAGC.
Noryko, Capt Robert J, FC.
Siegler, 1st Lt Ira S, JAGC.
Warren, 1st Lt William L, MC.
Carty, 2d Lt Patrick W, Arty.
Zlotnick, 1st Lt Robert V, JAGC.

BRANCH ASSIGNMENTS—

Helmerl, Capt Laurence L, Inf, 1st Co 1st Stu Det, Ft Benning, Ga, rel fr asg to Inf and asg to CE.
Laprad, Capt Quentin C, Inf, 4054th ASU, Ft Bliss, Tex; rel fr asg to Inf, and asg to Arty.

DESIGNATED ARMY AVIATORS—

Harker, 2d Lt Fredrick M, MSC.
Comstock, Capt Robert F, SigC.
Fitzgerald, Capt Albert E, Inf.
Hard, Capt William N, Inf.
Hicks, Capt Orman E, TC.
Shively, Capt Jowarren B, SigC.
Tamplin, Capt Jack D, SigC.
Bailey, 1st Lt Harold M, Inf.
Beverly, 1st Lt John G, TC.
Claunch, 1st Lt James E, Inf.
Culp, 1st Lt Cletus C Jr, CE.
Duke, 1st Lt Walter Jr, Inf.
Dunifer, 1st Lt Charles P, Jr, CE.
Durall, 1st Lt Ben D, Arty.
Economos, 1st Lt Thames M, Inf.
Edwards, 1st Lt John H 3d, Inf.
Hudson, 1st Lt Wilbur G, CE.
Knight, 1st Lt Albert L, Inf.
Leach, 1st Lt William F, Inf.
Marsh, 1st Lt Billie D, Inf.
Nicholls, 1st Lt Herbert C, Inf.
Skimin, 1st Lt Robert E, Arty.

Wilkinson, 1st Lt Charles M, Inf.
Aldridge, 2d Lt Edward H, SigC.
Anderson, 2d Lt Olaf C, Jr, Inf.
Barth, 2d Lt Norman L, Arty.
Cheever, 2d Lt Dewey O, Arm.
Chin, 2d Lt Bak Y, SigC.
Descoteau, 2d Lt Rudolph D, TC.
Durant, 2d Lt Oswald D 2d, Inf.
Fleming, 2d Lt Bobby J, CE.
Franznick, 2d Lt John R, Inf.
Ganevsky, 2d Lt Walter J, TC.
Head, 2d Lt William E Jr, Inf.
Herman, 2d Lt Lawrence J Jr, Arm.
Brooks, 2d Lt Homan, Inf.
Jones, 2d Lt Eugene N, CE.
Martin, 2d Lt Ephraim 3d, Inf.
Moncrief, 2d Lt Ellis E, Arty.
Race, 2d Lt Charles W, Inf.
Robinson, 2d Lt Robert C, Inf.
Seagrave, 2d Lt Richard L, Arty.
Sharpe, 2d Lt Richard H, Inf.
Smith, 2d Lt Howard B, CE.
Smith, 2d Lt Thomas B, CE.
Sorensen, 2d Lt Wallace E, SigC.
Stapleton, 2d Lt John P, Inf.
Steffanson, 2d Lt Richard T Jr, Inf.
Sullivan, 2d Lt Berry J, Inf.
Swan, 2d Lt William R, Arty.
Templeton, 2d Lt William M, SigC.
Underwood, 2d Lt Orille J, Inf.
Van Der Marel, 2d Lt Hendrik, SigC.
Walls, 2d Lt Bobby G, SigC.
Warner, 2d Lt Robert W Jr, SigC.
Yunker, 2d Lt John L, Inf.

CHANGE OF NAME—

Biesemier, 1st Lt Ruth A, WMSC, USAR, to Ruth Ann Buthala.
Colbert, Maj Jack L, AUS, Ret, to Jack Le Ross Colbert.
Dillman, Capt Flora Napharata, ANC, USAR, to Flora Dillman Schmitz.
Halley, Capt Lena Mary, ANC, USAR, to Lena Halley Robbins.
Johnston, 2d Lt Robert Edward, Jr, AS, USAR, to Robert E. Lee Johnston, Jr.
Lynch, 1st Lt Donna Frances, ANC, USAR, to Donna Lynch Johnson.
Marx, 1st Lt William Edward, AUS, to William Edward March.
McCleave, 2d Lt Emily Mae, ANC, USAR, to Emily Mae Ballock.

ADVANCED ON THE RETIRED LIST—

To 1st Lieutenant
Vetterling, M/Sgt Herman M
To 2d Lieutenant
Love, M/Sgt John

ENLISTED MEN RETIRED—

Negrón-Guerre, Cpl Montgomery, Cpl J H
Armando Loghry, Pfc B F
Strom, Cpl R W Richard, Pfc P J
Williams, Cpl J E LaCroix, M/Sgt E A
Thompson, Pfc C E Dixon, Cpl A W
Handy, Pvt Marvin Villa, Cpl I R
Evangelista, Sfc Ray Diakoff, Pfc E M
King, Sfc W O Shepherd, Pfc P W
Moran, Sfc W J Hunn, Pvt T L
Beyl, Cpl Wm M Long, Pvt O G
Hoberg, Cpl G O McNeese, Pvt R S
Rose, Pfc R A Dreyer, Sgt E L, Jr
Mombi, Pvt Herbert Rigg, Cpl D A
Peterson, Pvt O A Stevens, Cpl George
Rodriguez-Santiago, Gobell, Pfc J H E
Pvt Angel Bateman, Pvt D P
Cleary, M/Sgt T F Frey, Pvt R A
Coyle, M/Sgt Martin Green, M/Sgt N L
Foreman, M/Sgt E L Allen, Sfc S C
Killman, M/Sgt Charles Carter, Sgt Clarence
Krone, M/Sgt E S Stitzer, Sgt O H, Jr
Nelson, M/Sgt Elmer Neely, M/Sgt W R
Devereaux, Sfc W J Bolinger, Sgt C R
Korman, M/Sgt Tony Shamp, M/Sgt A H
Jones, Sfc A D Stohman, Cpl W R
Skibbins, Sfc Otto Swanson, M/Sgt S
Foster, Sgt Venus Gorman, Pfc Robt J
Johnson, Sgt J A Holland, Sfc R J
Martincich, Cpl Alex Brady, Pfc A O
Smith, Cpl W A Mihalik, Pvt A J
Richard, Pfc J A Thompson, Pvt W J
Dellaport, Sfc H L Brociner, Pfc S M
Rauch, Pfc Lee P Cave, Pfc J P
Smith, Pfc C R Clayborne, Pfc J, Jr
Zackman, Pfc L H Dixon, Pfc K B
Norton, Pvt D C Garcia, Pfc J M
Parsons, Sfc J C Girardira, Pfc K L
Kelley, Cpl Irvin Kelly, Pfc W M
Crane, Sfc L A Steen, M/Sgt O M
Early, Cpl E J Short, Sfc Marvin

EM ON TEMP DISABILITY RET LIST—

Matthews, Pvt M E Proth, Cpl John J
Smith, Pvt Jas E Grabe, Pvt F J, Jr
Guthrie, Sfc Phillip R Hogeda, Sgt Crencio
Witzel, Sfc Paul B Johnson, Sgt Robt L
McCormick, Cpl R L Myers, Sgt Rex D
Vatthauer, Pfc E E Creamer, Cpl Robt J
Hatfield, Pvt Gary E Davis, Cpl Damon U
Cohen, M/Sgt Jack M Ragsdale, Cpl E K E
Townsend, Sfc C D Schubert, Cpl H J
Conley, Sgt Wm L Johnson, Pvt Richard
Pitts, Sfc John Roy, Pvt Marvin K
Davis, Sgt Richard M Sanchez, Pvt B A
McCracken, Pfc Jno G Crowell, Cpl Wm B
Moore, Pfc Jeff D Robarge, Cpl A O
Richard, Pfc Ernest J D'Elia, Pfc Anthony J
Patton, Cpl Jack J Kravetz, Pfc Edw J
Walden, Cpl Geo T Houle, Pfc Ernest J
Leali, Pfc Adolphus O Funk, Pfc Richard F
Madelros, Pvt A J, Jr Kenyon, Pvt Gary P
Saulsbury, Pvt E H

EM REMOVED FROM TEMP DISABILITY RET LIST—

Tompkins, Sfc Herbert.
Mack, Pvt Walter V, and disch.

MARINE CORPS

Commandant—Gen. Lemuel C. Shepherd, Jr.
Asst. Comdt.—Lt. Gen. Gerald C. Thomas

Colonel

Victory, Randall M, MarPac; to MCB, Camp Pendleton.
Cook, Jesse, MCB, CampPen; to Overseas.
Blanchard, John D, Overseas; to MCB, Camp Pen.
Hommel, Robert E, FORTrps, FMFLant, Norfolk; to Overseas.

Lt Colonel

McCully, Alton W, Overseas; to 2dMAW, MCAS, Cherry Pt.
Braun, Richard L, Overseas; to 2dMAW, MCAS, Cherry Pt.
Power, Roger C, Jr, MCRD, San Diego; to Overseas.
Peoples, Edward L, MCRD, San Diego; to Overseas.
Ferguson, James W, FMFPacTrps; to Overseas.
Bale, Edward L, Jr, MCRD, San Diego; to Overseas.
Cooper, John D, HqBn, HQMC; to inactive duty.
Aplington, Henry, II, FMFLant, Norfolk; to MCS.
Frothingham, John L, MarPac, San Fran; to Overseas.
Geer, Andrew C, HQMC; to home.

Major

Mikkelsen, Paul H, MCS; to Overseas.
Glenn, John H, Jr, Overseas; to MAD, NAS, Patuxent River, Md.
Baxley, Newsom E, FMFLant, Norfolk; to home.
Scherer, Irving, 2dMarDiv, Cp Lejeune; to home.
Wilson, Harry S, MARTD, NAS, Akron, O; to NAATC, NAS, Corpus Christi, Tex.
Hermanson, Chester R, HQMC; to MCS.
West, Corbin L, MB, NAATC, NAS, Corpus Christi, Tex; to NB, Key West, Fla.

P. L. 810 Retirements

The Army has placed the following named National Guard and Reserve officers on the retired list upon their attainment of age 60 and completion of at least 20 years' creditable service as provided in Public Law 810, 80th Congress:

Elder, Col Bowman Smith, MajLeonard A
Wood, Lt Col F C, Jr Siebenhausen, 1st Lt
Turner, Capt HenryD Christian H
Condon, Col Edw V, Sogard, Col Theo L
NG Taylor, Col Q C
Schafmeister, Lt Col Judkins, Lt Col F E
John F Weir, Col Ross J
Weber, BrigGen Harold Lorentz, Capt Geo G
old T, NG Trainor, Lt Col Jas F
Curtis, BrigGen Chas Ffibich, Col Michael J
C, NG Beyer, Col F D, sr
French, 2d Lt Irvine
Douthitt, Lt Col M J Hyde, Lt Col Walter
Preble, Col Theo L H, NG
Dillon, Capt John R Basline, Col Wilfrid S
Kelley, CaptHarold R Kaplan, CaptA H, NG
Dittrich, Capt L H Nash, Col Simeon
Allen, Capt Clair K Morehead, Brig Gen
Slator, Lt Col Wm J H, NG
Culbertson, Lt Col Wm E Gwaltney, Lt Col P M
Wm E Palmer, 1st Lt Jos H
Hallier, Lt Col J B Carlson, Lt Col H G
Le Lacheur, Lt Col Doyle, Maj Thos H
Embert A Weinman, Capt Carl A
Amsler, Col Otto L Henderson, Maj Jas F
Howry, Lt Col H H

Medical RTC C of S

Lt. Col. Douglas Lindsey has been appointed chief of staff of the Medical Replacement Training Center at Camp Pickett, Va. He succeeds Lt. Col. Wiloughby S. Farley, assigned to the European Command.

Colonel Lindsey, who holds the Master Parachutist's Badge, the Silver Star with Oak Leaf Cluster, the Legion of Merit, the Soldier's Medal, and the Purple Heart, returned to the United States in October, 1953, after an 18-month tour of duty as operations officer of Eighth Army's medical section in Korea.

Coast and Geodetic Promotions

Officers of the Coast and Geodetic Survey whose promotions recently became effective are named as follows with grades and effective dates indicated:

Promoted to commander is Fair J. Bryant.
Promoted to lieutenant is Dewey G. Rushford.
Promoted to lieutenant (jg) is Robert A. Parker.

Changing Stations? Notify The Journal promptly to avoid missing any issues.

AIR FORCE

Secretary—Harold E. Talbott
Under Secretary—James H. Douglas, Jr.
Asst. Secretary—H. Lee White
Asst. Secretary—Roger Lewis
Chief of Staff—General Nathan F. Twining

Major General

Glantzberg, Frederic E. Barksdale AFB, La., to Hq 17th AF, USAF, APO 118, NY.
Eaton, Robert E. L. USAF, USN 510, FPO, NY, to Flt E, 7470th Hq Spt Sq (Admin Ln) USAF, USN 525, c/o FPO, NY.

Brig. General

Dougher, Charles B. Lockbourne AFB, Ohio, to Hq 5th ADiv, SAC, APO 118, NY.
Garland, William M. Wash, DC, to Hq 1125th USAF F/A Gp, Hq Comd, USAF, Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio.

Preston, Maurice A. Savannah, Ga., to Hq 4th ADiv, SAC, Barksdale, AFB, La.
Caldera, Joseph D. C. Topeka, Kan., to Hq 15th AF SAC, March AFB, Calif.
Carmichael, Richard H. March AFB, Cal., to Hq 21st ADiv, SAC, Forbes AFB, Topeka, Kans.

Colonel

Kilgore, John R. Wash, DC, to Flt A, 7470th Hq Spt Sq, USAF, Paris, France.
Ford, Thomas R. Wash, DC, to Hq 461st Light Bomb Wg, TAC, Hill AFB, Utah.

Lieutenant Colonel

Fishel, Robert R. Wash, DC, to Hq WADF, ADC, Hamilton AFB, Calif.
Chairsell, William S. Wash, DC, to 3302d Flt Tng Sq (Contr Prim), ATRC, Hawthorne Sch of Aero, Spence Fld, Moultrie, Ga.

Hunt, Edward H. Wash, DC, to Hq 461st Light Bomb Wg, TAC, Hill AFB, Utah.
Buckner, Grayson T. Wash, DC, to Hq 5th AF, FEA, APO 67, San Francisco, Cal.
Taylor, John P. Baltimore, Md., to Office of Spec Assistant to Chief of Staff, Hq, USAF, The Pentagon, Wash, DC.

Major

Smith, Franklin E. Wash, DC, to 1133d USAF S/A Sq, Hq Comd, USAF, Ft Myer, Va.
Barbieri, Michael J. Wash, DC, to Hq 3rd AF, USAF, APO 125, NY.

Crowder, Robert G. Larson AFB, Wash, to Hq AC&SS, AU, Maxwell AFB, Ala.
Echstein, Bert R. McClellan AFB, Cal., to Hq 1002d IG Gp, Hq Comd, USAF, Norton AFB, Cal.

Latz, David J. Gentile AF Depot, Dayton, Ohio, to 3605th Obsr Tng Wg, ATRC, Ellington AFB, Tex.
Ringer, John T. Gentile AF Depot, Dayton, Ohio, to 315th ADiv FEA.

Captain

Rossman, Russell J. Wash, DC, to 1100th USAF Hosp, Hq Comd, USAF, Bolling AFB, Wash, DC.
Greer, Donald E. Offutt AFB, Neb., to 93d Bomb Wg, Castle AFB, Calif.

1st Lieutenant

Oliver, James V. March AFB, Cal., to Hq 437th Trp Carr Wg(M), ConAC, O'Hare International Apt, Park Ridge, Ill.
Rolls, John M. Offutt AFB, Neb., to 7th ADiv, APO 125, NY.
Meyers, Howard. Wright-Patterson, AFB, Ohio, to 1072d Hosp Sq, Walter Reed AH, Wash, DC.

2nd Lieutenant

Johnston, Edgar J. Jr. Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio, to Hq SAAMA, AMC, Kelly AFB, Tex.
O'Donnell, Norman A. Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio, to Hq Mallory AF Depot, AMC, Memphis, Tenn.
Hartman, Leslie M. Wright-Patterson, AFB, Ohio, to Hq SBAMA, AMC, Norton AFB, Calif.

RETIRED

Allen, Col Ivan A. rel fr Fitzsimons AH, Denver, Colo.
Haas, Col Charles W. rel fr Hamilton AFB, Calif.

Neal, Lt Col Harry P. rel fr Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio.
Akins, Lt Col Arren A. rel fr Parks AFB, Pleasanton, Cal.
Schumm, Lt Col Frank W. rel fr Cp Kilmer, NJ (ret in gr of Col).

Ackerman, Lt Col Edward C. rel fr Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio.
Lambert, Lt Col James. rel fr Scott AFB, Ill.
Burke, Maj William H. rel fr Sheppard AFB, Tex.

Johns, Maj Alvis R. rel fr Langley AFB, Va.
Gardner, Maj Claude L. rel fr Cp Kilmer, NJ.
Cragg, Maj Clarence B. rel fr Cp Kilmer, NJ.
Bailey, Maj Harold K. rel fr Army Med Ctr, Wash, DC.

Dubois, Capt Charles E. (ret in gr of Maj) rel fr Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio.
Hamilton, Capt Willard D. rel fr Fitzsimons AH, Denver, Colo.

OFFICERS TEMP DISABILITY RET LIST
Jordan, Maj W. J. Jr. Harding, Col E. F. Jr. Hartley, Capt John A.

RESIGNED

Segreto, Maj Vincent Latham, 1st Lt James A.
McBride, Capt Hugh Shelton, Capt Walter W.
Moschoglans, M a j Roderick, Maj Jack V.
Peter C. Williams, Maj Henry
Noll, Capt John R. K.
Sowka, Maj Albin J.

PERMANENT PROMOTIONS

To Captain

Smith, Walter A. Jr. w/DR 19 Dec 53
Knapik, Delores M. w/DR 20 Dec 53
Patrick, Theodore E. MC, w/DR 19 Dec 53
Drummy, William W. Jr. MC, w/DR 19 Dec 53
Staudinger, Leonard S. Jr. MC, w/DR 20 Dec 53

w/DR 22 Dec 53

Schrader, George W. Salentine, Russell J.
Morris, Charles R. Armstrong, Harold L.
McCall, C. M. Jr. Woodward, Hubert W.
Varrin, Rene D.
Parapli, Nicholas V. MC w/DR 29 Dec 53

To 1st Lieutenant

Rundle, David B. w/DR 18 Dec 53
Johnson, Robert E. Jr. w/DR 19 Dec 53
Sprankle, Robert L. w/DR 20 Dec 53
Bordars, Robert H. III, w/DR 23 Dec 53

w/DR 28 Dec 53

Brown, Allan L. Jones, Henry L.
Heard, Robert J. Jr.
Sturmthal, Emil, w/DR 30 Dec 53

To CWO

Malsey, Reginald V. w/DR 28 Dec 53

TEMPORARY PROMOTIONS

To Captain

Fritts, Robert E. Wiedman, Wilbur G.

To 1st Lieutenant

Darakis, Peter M. Wilcox, Stanton G.
Harker, Charles A. Jr. Jamar, John W.
Turberville, Jack H. Slusser, William P.

REG AF PROMOTIONS CONFIRMED

To Lieut Colonel

Dewey, Willis A.

To Captain

Turk, Roy S. DC Wyatt, J. L. Jr. DC

To 1st Lieutenant

Ertwine, Jean M. WMSC.

PERMANENT APPOINTMENTS

WOJG

Cavaner, James L. w/rank fr 15 Nov 48, Eff on dt of execution of oath of office, he is prom to gr of CWO, RegAF.

DISCHARGED

Riegler, Capt D A. Mills, Capt E M. Jr.
Dulak, Capt John T. Strippy. (Chap) Lt
Richardson, Capt R K. Col Clarence G.
Foote, 1st Lt John D. Cossey, Capt Mary I.
Mallare, Capt J F.

SEPARATIONS

Baker, 1st Lt William A. Jr.

CHANGE OF NAME

Gullion, Maj Allen W. Jr. to Allen W. Gullion.
Shea, Maj Madge R. to Madge R. Danley.
Klein, Capt Violet E. to Violet E. Copley.
Bannon, 1st Lt Jane E. to Jane B. Koon.
Bowman, 1st Lt Bonnie J. to Bonnie J. McGrath.

Bruce, 1st Lt Arlene M. to Arlene M. Thibault.
Norris, 1st Lt Junior Karl, to Karl Delbert Norris.

Bohannon, 2d Lt Jean, to Jean Jones.
Hays, 2d Lt Jean A. to Jean A. Wilson.
Justus, 2d Lt Doris J. to Doris J. Mulligan.
Kaunisto, 2d Lt Doris D. to Doris D. Clark.
Lasky, 2d Lt Raymond, to Raymond Robert Lasky.

Cooper, 1st Lt Willie L. Jr. to W Lee Cooper.
Hartley, Maj Alice H. to Alice H. Payne.

Finns, 1st Lt Mary C. Finns, to Mary F. Hastings.

Lucas, 2d Lt Hedvika, to Hedvika L. Knoth.

ADVANCED ON RETIRED LIST

To Captain

Severson, CWO Arthur

RETIRED AIRMEN RELEASED FROM AD
Lewis, M/Sgt Creal V. Bright, M/Sgt W H

AIRMEN RETIRED

Alexander, M/Sgt E. Rinker, M/Sgt S R.
Carter, M/Sgt G J. Sanders, M/Sgt M J.
Clauson, M/Sgt J H. Pfeifer, M/Sgt G C. Jr.
Darnell, M/Sgt S A. Flake, A/2C James C.
Dickson, M/Sgt H L. Dethiefs, M/Sgt L E.
Jenson, M/Sgt E L. Boone, T/Sgt Sidney
Poteet, M/Sgt J J. Whitmore, A/2C E.
Standish, M/Sgt J E. C.
Byars, T/Sgt F C. Wheat, A/3C A. Jr.
Stephenson, T/Sgt R. Parrett, T/Sgt M.
E. Beck, M/Sgt H D.
Williams, T/Sgt H R. Bardford, M/Sgt C N.
Wukitsch, T/Sgt J. Block, M/Sgt D W.
Ullis, S/Sgt Alex. Bloodworth, M/Sgt O.
Schmidt, M/Sgt H J. R.
Palmer, A/2C L R. Dunlap, M/Sgt J W.
Leaveck, A/1C E S. O'Gwynn, M/Sgt L C.
Burke, A/B W R. Smith, M/Sgt L V.

Thomas, S/Sgt M U. Uhlrig, M/Sgt L H.
Myers, A/2C Lewis W. Marks, T/Sgt Aaron.
Adams, M/Sgt A A. Zeigler, M/Sgt W D.
George, M/Sgt P J.

AIRMEN ON TEMP DISAB RET LIST

Kinnett, A/3C L M. Lytle, A/3C Corrine.
Martin, M/Sgt L H. Bradford, M/Sgt B.
Wall, A/1C John C. Chubb, S/Sgt K O.
Charos, A/2C A. Thompson, A/1C C D.
Wallace, A/2C Dan W. Friedman, A/2C E M.
Dibartolo, A/3C P U. Peterson, A/3C E R.
Martin, S/Sgt E R. Brown, S/Sgt H E.
Whitworth, A/1C R J. Smith, S/Sgt R E.
Stratton, T/Sgt V W. Dole, T/Sgt Karl L.
Hise, A/1C Donald L. Darr, A/3C George J.

AIRMEN REMOVED FROM TEMP DISAB RET LIST

Cuthill, T/Sgt Donald D.
Wells, A/2C Charles F. and discharged.
Kouloglanes, S/Sgt Gust L. and discharged.
Sutphin, S/Sgt Marvin E. and discharged.
Van Skiver, A/3C Wilson L. and retired.
Steadman, S/Sgt John F. and discharged.
Dameron, A/2C William O. and discharged.
Hubbard, A/3C William B. and discharged.
Aylor, S/Sgt Howard O. and retired.
Monty, S/Sgt Stanley E. and discharged.
Bussey, M/Sgt Lynward S.
Carlson, A/3C Robert L.
Martin, A/3C David W.
Lange, A/B Urbine S.
Bosse, T/Sgt Alfred P. and discharged.
Baranowski, A/1C Joseph P. and retired.
Waters, A/1C James W. and retired.
Brooks, A/2C Ronald R. and retired.
Lane, A/3C Jesse C. and retired.
Brooks, A/3C Billy R. and retired.
Jenkins, T/Sgt John W. and discharged.
Burgess, A/3C Wallace R. and discharged.

ARDC Studies 'Jet Stream' To Boost Plane Speeds

The "Jet Stream," an air current that ranges over the northern hemisphere at altitudes between 30,000 and 40,000 feet, and sometimes reaches speeds of 300 miles per hour, is being studied intensively for the first time by Air Force Cambridge Research Center scientists, the Air Research and Development Command announced this week.

Since definite evidence of the jet stream was established in 1947, the Air Force and commercial airlines have been interested in finding more about this horizontal escalator in the sky that can boost a plane along at a greatly increased speed.

The Air Research and Development Command, with cooperation from the Strategic Air Command, has established two points for research flights into the jet stream at MacDill AFB and the Air Force Missile Test Center at Patrick AFB, Fla.

A B-47 bomber is used at MacDill while a B-29 is stationed at the Air Force Missile Test Center, on Florida's East Coast. "Project Jet Stream" is being conducted under the immediate supervision of scientists from the Geophysics Research Directorate of the Air Force Cambridge Research Center.

The most intensive work on the project is scheduled for the next three months. During January, February, and March, the colder weather brings more temperature variations at heights above Florida and other regions, and causes an increase in the velocity of the jet stream. An average of eight or nine operational flights is expected to be flown in the jet stream each month.

Each of the planes involved in the project is equipped with special instruments to measure winds, temperatures, humidity, and turbulence. In addition, observers use tape recordings to make verbal descriptions while they are in flight.

ARDC scientists agree that the jet stream is capable of speeds up to 300 miles per hour, which will be of considerable aid to both military and commercial planes that can take advantage of this super tailwind in travelling from west to east. There is also danger involved should an aircraft unknowingly enter the stream in the opposite direction. Unless it is a very powerful aircraft there is a possibility that it will stand still, or even move backward, when gripped by the gigantic power of the jet stream.

Now in its early stages, "Project Jet Stream" is expected to furnish much more information to the scientists by the time all flights have been completed and data has been compiled and studied.

Present Air Force plans call for continuation of the project throughout 1954 and until February of 1955.

AF Issues Proficiency (Continued from Page 557)

maximum of 100 hours as aircraft observer (medical) or flight surgeons, of which:
(1) 35 hours will be flown each 6 months.
(2) 20 hours will be flown observing instrument flight, of which 10 hours will be flown each 6 months.
(3) 15 hours will be flown observing night flight, of which 6 hours will be flown each 6 months.

Pilot Qualification Check

All pilots and senior pilots are required to complete satisfactorily within a period of 60 days prior to their birthday the following pilot qualification check:

a. Demonstrate qualification as first pilot in one type of military aircraft.
b. Qualify for an Air Force Instrument Certificate.

c. Obtain passing grade on the Annual Pilot Written Examination. This examination will be as prescribed in letter of instructions from Headquarters USAF.

NOTE: Provisions of this paragraph are not applicable to personnel within the 6-month period subsequent to graduation from an Air Force advanced pilot school or date of recall to active duty; and within a 90-day period for personnel who have not been on flying status for a period of more than 30 days and less than 6 months; and for a 6-month period for personnel who have not been on flying status for a period of 6 months or more.

Evaluation Procedures

a. Annual Evaluation:
(1) Within 30 days subsequent to each 1 July, commanders will review the records of each person who is assigned or attached to their command for flying to determine if the requirements of this Regulation have been met.

(2) Those persons who failed to meet the requirements of this Regulation will be classified in one of the categories described below:

(a) Category I—Noncompliance was due to circumstances beyond control of the individual.

(b) Category II—Noncompliance was due to failure of the individual to use properly the available opportunities or to such basic lack of flying aptitude as to render continuation on flying status undesirable.

(3) A list of the personnel classified in category I with justification for this action and recommendation for final action will be forwarded through channels to the major command concerned. Commanders of these commands are authorized to excuse such personnel from meeting a flying evaluation board. A roster of personnel so excused will be forwarded by each major air command to the Director of Military Personnel, Headquarters USAF, Washington 25, D. C.

(4) Personnel placed in category II will be ordered to appear before a flying evaluation board.

b. Failure To Pass Pilot Qualification Check. When a pilot fails to meet all of the provisions of paragraph 4, he immediately will be evaluated in accordance with a above. Instead of waiting until 1 July of each fiscal year.

c. Suspension from Flying. A person classified in category II need not be suspended from flying, pending his appearance before a flying evaluation board, except when such person is considered unfit for flying.

General Provisions

a. Flying time acquired as pilot or copilot in other than military aircraft of the armed services, powered with engines of at least 400 horsepower, may be credited 100 per cent toward the requirements of this Regulation.

b. In meeting the requirements prescribed above, the instrument flight time performed during night flight conditions will be applied to either the instrument flight time requirements or the night flight requirements, but not to both.

c. Personnel on flying status as copilots, possessing an additional rating as an aircraft observer, are required to comply with pilot requirements of this Regulation only.

Exception

Commanders are authorized to suspend or modify any or all provisions of this Regulation when they consider such action necessary to accomplish a combat mission.

MATHIAS TO MARINES

Bob Mathias, renowned as the world's best all-around athlete, and two-time winner of the Olympic decathlon, will be ordered to active duty in the Marine Corps in June.

Originally ordered to officer training at Marine Corps Schools, Quantico, Va., for classes convening in January, Mr. Mathias said the Marines allowed him to postpone his reporting date to make a picture of the story of his life in Hollywood.

NAVY

Secretary—Robert B. Anderson
Under Secretary—Thomas S. Gates
Asst. Secretary for Air—James H. Smith, Jr.
Asst. Secretary—Robert H. Fogler
CNO—Admiral Robert B. Carney

Rear Admiral

Murphy, Marlon E. ServRonPac; to Com-NavMarlanas.
Strain, Charles L. (CEC), BuDocks; to Dir-LantDiv, BuDocks, New York.
Taylor, Edmund B. DesFlotLant; to Com-NavBase, Guantanamo Bay Cuba.
Varian, Donald C. NavWarCol, Newport; to DesFlotLant.

Captain

Antoniak, Charles, NaMisTestCent, Point-Mugu; to NavHosp, San Diego, treatment.
Braun, William B. CO, USS Andromeda; to OpNav.
Capell, Delmar R. (SC), ExecOff, NSD, Seattle; to Staff, SupOff, MSTs, Wash. DC.
Fullinwider, Ransom, C/S to ChMAAG, Spain; to ChNavSect, MAAG Portugal, Lisbon.
Greene, David D. (MC), NavHosp, Yokosuka; to NavHosp, Corona.
Harrison, Robert E. W. (NR), BuShips, to RAD.
Ifriq, Francis O. San Diego, Gru; to CO, USS Magoffin.
Justice, James R. (DC), FirstMarDiv, FMF; to ExecOff, Naval Dental Clinic, NavBase, Brooklyn.
Langen, Thomas D. DirTra, 13ND; to CO, USS Andromeda.
McGoldrick, Joseph A. OIC, Gunfire Support-Scal, Coronado; to NavFE SpecSupport-Gru, Yokosuka.
McMillan, Ira E. CO, USS Magoffin; to MSTs, PacArea.
Powell, Virgil A. (CEC), DistPWO, 13ND; to DistCE, 13ND.
Pyne, Schuyler N. SupShip, USN and Nav-InsOrd, NYShipbldgCorp, Camden; to ComPearlNavShipyard.
Rittenhouse, Ellis B. OpNav; to ComCortDes-Div 13.
Smith, Andrew J. OSD, Wash. DC; to CO, USS Vesuvius.
Tackney, Stephen N. OpNav; to ComDesRon 6.
Teller, Steadman, BuPers, temp; to OpNav.
Vanmetre, Thaddeus J. ChNavSectMAAG, Portugal, Lisbon; to OpNav.
Zablak, John, BuShips, USN and NavIns-Ord, NYShipbldgCorp, Camden.
Zemmer, Harold M. 11ND; to Staff, ComNav-Marlanas.

Commander

Brandt, Paul L. (DC), NAVADCOM NTC GLAKES; to AIRFMFPAC.
Emslie, William F. USS CLARENCE K BRONSON; to USS VULCAN.
Johnson, Elmer B. (MC), NAS BARBPT; to NAS MIRAMAR SDIEGO.
Kelstead, Maurice S. (NR), SUBGRU 2 PHIL-AGRU; to USS INTREPID.
Meyer, George E. (CEC) (NR), NAVMARI-ANAS; to NATECHTRACEN NORMAN.
Moroney, John D. 8ND; to NATECHTRA-CEN NORMAN.
Moher, Edwin I. (CEC) (NR), 13ND; to 30TH NAVCONS REGT.
Shille, Raymond (NR), NAVSTRIKFOR SOUTH; to MSTSPACAREA.
Tyburetz, Joseph A. (MC), NAS MFTFLD; to USS PRINCETON.
Tyrrell, Frank C. (CEC), NAS AGANA GUAM; to PHILANAVSHIPYD.
Walsh, Homer L. (SC), NAS PAXRIV; to USS INTREPID.
Wesche, Otis A. CO USS SOUTHERLAND; to BUORD.
Bellinger, William C. P. Jr. MSTs WASHDC; to CO USS ANTARES AC 258.
Drouth, James A. TENTH NAVDIST; to OFC OF JAG NAVDEPT.
Leisz, Albert P. (DC), USS YOSEMITE AD 19; to NAVENTAL CLINIC NAVBASE BKLYN.
Martin, Clyde L. (DC), AIRFMFPAC; to PHILANAVSHIPYD, PHILA.
Parker, Leonard A. CO, USS BETELGEUSE AK 260; to NELM.
Tobin, Louis J. TRANSRON 1; to NGF WASHDC.
Hansen, Grant O. USS ANTARES; to OP-NAV.
Jackson, Charles B. (DC) (NR), NASTA NAV-BASE NPT; to USS LEYTE.
Johnson, Arthur R. USS VULCAN; to NAV-FE.
Kirafofe, Warren C. 8ND; to OFC OF JAG NAVDEPT.
Olson, Clarence E. FAIRWING 5; to NAAS WHITINGFLD, MILTON.
Petrie, Clarence W. NAVPHIBTRAU NAV-PHIBASE LCREEK; to SERVON 3.
Robertson, Horace L. Jr. USS LOWRY; to CO MSTSO GUAM.
Zoeller, Raphael A. STAFF SACLANT; to CO USS HENLEY.
Crowe, John W. ARMEDFORSTAFFCOL NORVA; to FAIRWING 11.
Goodwin, Harold L. (SC) (NR), ONM NAV-DEPT; to 1 ND.
Hartlein, John, Jr. (NR), USS ANTIETAM;

to HELASRON 1.
Jackson, Andrew D. Jr. JOINTSERVS STAFFCOL, LONDON; to NELM.
James, Roger A. (MC), REEDCOL PORT-LAND; to USS ANTIETAM.
Middleton, Roderick O. SERVON 3; to DESLANT.
Rothenberg, Allan, USS FRANKLIN D ROOSEVELT; to NAS GTMO.
Sullivan, George A. SECONDFLT; to NAV-PHIL.
Baumelster, John, Jr. CO USS STODDARD; to OPNAV.
Gayler, Noel A. M. CO AIRDEVON 3; to OP-NAV.
Morley, Howard W. (NR), NAS STL; to NAS LOS ALAMITOS, LBEACH.
Norton, Marvin D. Jr. USS WORCESTER; to NAVMARLANAS.
Schmidt, Calude C. (NR), NAS STL; to NARESTRACOM NAS GLEN.
Seipt, William E. 4ND; to CO NAVRESTRACEN NAVBASE CHASN.
Barnard, Douglas F. (CEC) (NR), 14ND; to NAVMEDU TRIPLER ARHOSP OAHU TREATMENT.
Beck, Max G. (ChC) NAS GLEN; to SERV-LANT.
Dubois, Raymond F. SUBDEVGRU 2; to DESLANT.
Endebrock, Frank L. (CEC), FMFPAC; to PUGNAVSHIPYD BREM.
Hoos, Selden S. (SC), ONM NAVDEPT; to USS PHILIPPINE SEA.
Meriwether, Albert B. (NR), NARESTRACOM NAS GLEN; to NAS SEATTLE.
Murray, Thomas O. HAWSEAFRON; to CO FASRON 51.
Nilrinen, John V. (DC), NAVDENTALSCOL NATNAVMEDECEN BETHESDA; to USS YOSEMITE.
Rush, Charles W. Jr. CO USS QUEENFISH; to CO USS BLACKFIN.
Selmer, Harold N. (DC), NAAS CABANISS-FLD CORP; to USS NEW JERSEY.

Lt Commander

Boyce, William R. (SC) (NR), NAVPUROFC WASHDC; to RAD.
Byers, Elmer G. Jr. CO NAD NAVBASE CHASN; to USS DIAMOND HEAD.
Cheney, John P. (NR), NAVCICOFFSCOL NAS GLEN; to AEWRON 2.
Cimina, Glna D. (NC), CATHOLIC UNIV WASHDC; to NAVHOSP CAMPEN.
Coward, John S. STAFF CINCLANTFLT; to USS LINDENWALD.
Danyo, Anna (NC), COLUMBIA UNIV NYK; to NAVHOSP PNCLA.
Duplissey, Frederick J. (ChC) (NR), THIRD-MARDIV FMF; to RAD.
Fonnash, Joseph S. (ChC) (NR), NAVHOSP PHILA; to RAD.
Fox, John C. USS BOXER; to AIRPAC TEM.
Frohne, Charles T. Jr. BUAER; to COMP-RON 8.
Gleason, James J. Jr. (NR), NAS NRLNS; to AIRPAC TEM.
Greve, Richard, USNAVPGSCOL MONT-EREY; to STAFF CINCPACFLT.
Hines, William M. NAF PORT LYAUTEY; to AIRLANT TEM.
June, Russell G. CRUITRACOM NTC GLAKES; to USS HYADES.
Kozak, Norbert J. BUAER; to AIRLANT TEM.
McCarthy, Robert H. (NR), OFC OF JAG NAVDEPT; to SUBCOMNEM/HEDSUP-PACT, NAPLES.
McDaniel, Jerry F. NATECHTRAU NAS PNCLA; to NAVPHOTOINTERPCEN NAVRECSTA WASHDC DUNS.
McGinnis, George P. NAVCOMMFAC YOKO-SUKA; to NSA WASHDC.
Miller, Herbert L. (DC) (NR), NAS PNCLA; to RAD.
Moesser, Maxine M. (NC), UNIV OF IND. BLOOMINGTON; to NAVHOSP GLAKES.
Morrison, Hubert, AIRDEVON 1; to USNAVPGSCOL MONTEREY DUNS.
Myers, Robert I. USNAVPGSCOL MONT-EREY; to AIRLANT TEMINS.
Newland, John W. Jr. USS DES MOINES; to NAVCOMMSTA PEARL.
Roper, George, Jr. (NR), OPNAV; to USS LIBRA.
Rosengrant, Warren M. USNAVPGSCOL MONTEREY; to NAVCITEAM TRACEN BOS.
Sebach, Henry V. USNAVPGSCOL MONT-EREY; to USS VALLEY FORGE.
Selvitz, Richard E. USNAVPGSCOL MONT-EREY; to USS WISCONSIN.
Weiss, Charles F. NAS ALAMEDA; to FAIR-WING 1.
Welsh, John R. CO USS JEFFERS; to CO USS GAINARD.
West, James C. USS PHILIPPINE SEA; to AIRPAC TEM.
Allen, Joseph W. Jr. USNAVPGSCOL MONT-EREY; to AIRPAC TEM.
Carlson, Paul G. A. USNAVPGSCOL MONT-EREY; to BUAER.
Carter, Harold G. AIRTRANSRON 3; to ACTRU NAS CORPC.
Coulter, William G. USNAVPGSCOL MONT-EREY; to NATESTCEN PAXRIV.
Cummins, George W. (ChC) (NR), NAV-PHIBASE CORONADO; to RAD.
Dower, William D. USNAVPGSCOL MONT-EREY; to NAS MFTFLD.
Haas, Paul, Jr. USNAVPGSCOL MONT-EREY; to OFC OF BAGR CENDIST WRIGHT PATTERSON AFB, OHIO.
Lang, Marvin H. USNAVPGSCOL MONT-

EREY; to OFC OF BAGR WESTDIST LOSA.
MacFarlane, Arthur S. USNAVPGSCOL MONTEREY; to NAVFE.
White, Leonard F. (ChC) (NR), NAVAD-COM NTC SDIEGO; to RAD.
Andrews, Milner L. USS RENDOVA; to AIRPAC TEM.
Bain, John B. AIRLANT; to CO ATAKRON 15.
Baker, Robert H. NAVCOMMSTA NEW YORK NYK; to USS INTREPID.
Cooke, David O. (NR), NAVSCOL NAV-JUSTICE NAVBASE NPT; to OFC OF NAVSUPERVISOR SALV NYK.
Delaney, Edward J. M. (NR), NELM; to OFC OF USN SHIPBLDGREP. EUROPE PARIS.
Doner, Landis E. AIRLANT; to CO FITRON 13.
Durborow, James W. OPDEVLAN; to TRALANT TEM.
Farr, Jesse B. NAB 11ND; to AIRLANT TEM.
Gibson, Charles C. (NR), AIRASRON 38; to NARESTRACOM NAS GLEN.
Hall, George A. BUAER; to USS YORK-TOWN.
Lynch, John I. SUBGRU 1 DIEGOGRU; to DIEGOGRU.
MacMurray, James W. FLETRAGRU NAR-RABAY; to CO USS MAURICE J MANUEL.
McPherson, John B. (ChC), NAVSTA AR-GENTIA; to NAVADCOM NTC BAIN.
Numbers, Robert E. (NR), NAS GLEN; to NAS OAK.
Pepler, Walter F. DIEGOGRU; to SUBGRU 1 DIEGOGRU.
Rooker, Harry E. (MSC), NAVHOSP PNCLA; to NAVHOSP PORTSMOUTH, VA.
Shipley, Alfred K. DIEGOGRU; to SUBGRU 1 DIEGOGRU.
Todd, James F. NAAS GLYNCO BRUNS-WICK; to AIRLANT TEM.
Coulter, Preston H. (SC), USS SAINT PAUL; to NAS SDIEGO.
Fairchild, John A. 3ND; to ICEDEFOR.
Homer, Vernon L. NAVPHIBTRAU NAVPHI BASE LCREEK; to USS MILIPHEN.
Letto, Thomas L. Jr. (NR), HELASRON 2; to AIRPAC.
Reulet, Joseph E. (NR), USS PHILIPPINE SEA; to AIRPAC TEM.
Telchela, Joseph. (NR), OIC AIRTRANS RON 21 MIDWAYDET; to AIRTRANSRON 21.
Traynor, Laurence G. NAF PORT LYAU-TEY; to NAS LAKEHURST.
Tucker, Edward A. NAVCOMMFAC YOKO-SUKA; to OPNAV.
Wick, Milton H. (SC), USS CAPE ESPER-ANCE; to ONM NAVDEPT.
Woodbury, Orpheus L. Jr. (SC) (NR), USS BATAAN; to PRNC.
Butt, Lawrence H. CO USS BLACKFIN; to CO USS QUEENFISH.
Casey, Thomas H. Jr. FAIRWING 11; to NA-TECHTRACEN NAS JAX DUNS.
Cimina, Glna D. (NC), CATHOLIC UNIV WASH DC; to NAVHOSP PORTSMOUTH VA.
Cunneen, John M. (NR), ALUSNA AND ALUSNA FOR AIR RANGON; to RAD.
Dennis, George Jr. 12ND; to PRNC.
Finan, Arthur P. (ChC) (NR), MSTSLANT AREA; to NAVRECSTA BOS.
Fitzgerald, Jack R. (NR), OPNAV; to NAS GLEN.
Green, Myron H. (MC) (NR), NAVHOSP OAK; to USS ESTES.
Holland, Charles F. (ChC) (NR), NORFOLK NAVSHIPYD PORTSMOUTH; to RAD.
Holtslander, Herman S. (SC), NAS MFTFLD; to BUSANDA.
Nott, Dwight D. USS KULA GULF; to AIR-LANT TEM.
O'Neill, Rita V. (NC), NAVHOSP ST AL-BANS LI; to NAVHOSP OAK.
Roberts, Carlton M. (CEC) (NR), PRNC; to RAD.
Bassett, Charles A. USS YORKTOWN; to AIRPAC TEM.
Danyo, Anna. (NC), COLUMBIA UNIV New York; to NAVHOSP ST ALBANS LI.
Erickson, Ruth A. (NC), NAVHOSP GREAT LAKES; to NAVHOSP CAMELJ.
Hanson, Harvey E. (SC), NAVORDSUPOFC MECH; to SERVON 3.
Hardy, Thomas H. NRL WASH DC; to AIR-PAC TEM.
Kuhn, Martin Jr. (NR), NAVRADIOLOGI-CAL DEFLAB NAVBASE SFRAN; to USS NAVASOTA.
Kuzmin, Walter R. (NR), BUORD; to RAD.
Lambert, Verb M. FASRON 4; to NABATRA COM NAS PNCLA.
Lurvey, Don D. NAMATECEN PHILA; to MATS ANDREWS AFB MD.
Murphy, Joseph M. OPNAV; to AIRPAC TEM.
Richards, Margaret. (NC), NAVHOSP CAM LEJ; to NAVHOSP BETHESDA.
Robinson, Wayne D. OPNAV; to NAVHOSP BETHESDA Treatment.
Sneed, Ercell C. (NR), OPNAV; to OFC OF ASTINDMAN ASTORIA NAVSTA Tongue Point ASTORIA.
Talbot, William U. (NR), NARTU NAS LAKEHURST; to RAD.
Yarborough, Thos H. (SC) (NR), OIC NAV COMSYSTO NAVRECSTA ANNEX Bklyn; to RAD.

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U. S. Coast Guard

Secretary of the Treasury—George M. Humphrey
Commandant—Vice Adm. Merila O'Neill

THE Coast Guard has suspended until 30 June 1954 regular recruitment activities in connection with a cut in strength.

However, reenlistment of former Coast Guardsmen within the continuous service period will be authorized. Also, applications for enlistment or reenlistment of personnel who formerly held the rating of electronic technician or aviation electronic technician in the Coast Guard or Navy may be processed.

The Coast Guard anticipates a critical shortage in these ratings.

Commission Last Boat

The 12th and last boat in the present construction program was placed in commission at the Yard, Curtis Bay, Md., on 21 Dec.

On that same date, PAR (WAGL-403) completed availability at the Yard and returned to Birston, R. I.

The Humboldt (WAVP-372) is at the Yard, where she will remain until the end of the month.

AF Loans Plane

The first of the 15 SA-16 type aircraft loaned to the Coast Guard by the Air Force was delivered in late December to the Traverse City, Mich., Air Station.

Merchant Marine Officer Exams

The next examination for licensed officers of the Merchant Marine for commissions in the Coast Guard will be held on 1, 2 and 3 March.

Applications should be postmarked prior to 19 Feb. to insure processing for this examination. Commissions will be offered in the ranks of Lieutenant (jg), Lieutenant and Lieutenant Commander, depending upon age, experience and professional ability. All applicants must be between the ages of 21 and 40, and have served at least four years aboard a U.S. merchant vessel in the capacity of a licensed officer.

ASSIGNMENT CHANGES

Commander

Mellen, Richard L. CGDFOURTEEN to CGDSEVENTEEN canceled. CGDFOURTEEN to CGAS, Port Angeles, Wash. (dift). Dirdet, delrep 20.
Wilkinson, James E. OCMI, Portland, Maine to OCMI, Boston, Mass.

Lt Commander

Cain, William C. PSU, Ellis Island, NY to Home.

Lieutenant

Harbourt, Merle L. OCMI, Galveston, Tex to Waterman Steamship Corp, Mobile, Ala (Industry Trng).
Jefferies, William C. DURANT to Academy (MMI Indoctration) canceled. DURANT to OCMI, Long Beach, Calif Dirdet, delrep 30.

Lieutenant (jg)

Grimes, Marlon F. Jr. DURANT to CHIN-COTEAGUE (Eng duty). Dirdet, delrep 30.
Nuzum, John S. DURANT to BUTTON-WOOD (line). Dirdet, delrep 30.

Ensign

Anderson, Thor L. (R). VANCE to CGD-FOURTEEN (furas afloat by CGDFOURTEEN) amended to CGDEIGHT (furas afloat by CGDEIGHT).
Closser, Robert A. Jr. CG-83303 (CO) to Home Goodfellow, John M. CG-83320 (CO) to Home Grainger, Arch D. Jr. DURANT to CGD-EIGHT (duty) amended to CGDFOURTEEN (furas by CGDFOURTEEN).
Grega, Robert E. BERING STRAIT to Home Quint, Burton D. CG-83464 (CO) to Home Suarez, Roland M. PONTCHARTRAIN to Home.

Warrant Officer

Coffey, ChMach Frank D. DURANT to PSU, Portland, Oregon (EO) Dirdet, delrep 30.

Deaths

Hinz, CDR Otto H. (ret), died 9 Dec 1953.
Kelley, LCDR Andrew J. (ret), died 2 Nov 1953.
Eagerton, LTJG Morris J, died 19 Dec 1953.

PROMOTE ENSIGNS

The following ensigns were appointed to the grade of lieutenant (junior grade) for temporary service with date of rank from 6 Dec:

Early, Calvin B	Shea, Richard
Masley, Paul J	Brookway, Robert M
Jancky, Edmund	Verrett, Eugene D
Ross, Donald G	Kelly, James R

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Tellan, Milan A
DeLaat, Peter J, Jr
Brannham, Robert C
Long, Frederick M
Baetsen, R. H., Jr
Lucas, Robert S
Carlson, Robert A
Lobkovich, John F
Linde, David J
Dewing, Bruce W
Stims, Robert B
Sherburne, Gilbert P
Glass, William J
Creter, Richard S
Eley, Herbert W
Waidhelm, S. E.
Castello, John D
Brooks, Richard B
Thompson, Donald C
McCauley, William
Lively, Olin A
Murphy, James S
Conley, Charles R
Glancy, David M
Keyes, Vincent E
Lesperance, G. O.
Moor, Robert G
Hallock, Melvin W
Shrader, Joseph N
Clark, W. H., Jr
Russell, Carlton E
Finn, John I
Sanitman, Leon D
Barrett, James M, Jr
Kajjala, Ronald K
Ingis, Robert S, Jr
Lyons, Herbert G

Taylor, Edward G
Wolf, Donald G
Spracklin, John C
Black, William S
Morrill, Peter A
Gillett, Clarence R
McClary, David C
Stickle, George E, Jr
Kelley, Ralph S, Jr
O'Connor, J. J., Jr
Conway, Daniel M
Jurgens, Charles E
Platt, Robert T, Jr
Duvall, Francis C, Jr
Stech, Joseph
Adler, William A
Thompson, James E
Byrd, John H, Jr
Fink, Charles R
Drews, John G
Wiman, Kenneth G
Steinbacher, John D
McIntosh, D. F., Jr
Parsons, Glen N
Hackney, Robert V
Thurmond, W. W., Jr
Jacobsen, Patrick M
Irish, John K, Jr
Hihn, John R, L
Murphy, John T, Jr
Ellis, John F
Peters, Robert D
Wilson, Allen M
Istock, Howard E
Claborn, William R
Ruebens, Martin J
Mellette, Richard D

PROMOTE RESERVE ENSIGNS

Promotion of Reserve Ensigns to LTJG with date of rank of 12-6-53 follows:
O'Connor, Robert W
Smythe, C. L., Jr
Moffat, Samuel J
Lavey, William J
Lewis, George T, Jr
Gore, Daniel J, Jr
Hinneline, Robert E
Dygart, Warren A
Schwendler, E. J., Jr
Staeuble, Nelson R
Roworth, Wallace H
Hvinden, Elmer F
Cardwell, Emmett T
Phillips, Julian P
Maatman, Gerald H
Fishman, Howard H
Klosterman, Robert
Richards, Eugene J
Jones, Guy B
Wise, Malcolm D
Legum, Charles S
Ford, Llewellyn J
Soltis, Daniel G
Biller, Kenneth E
Barracca, Peter S
Fisher, Joseph K, III
Weber, William C, Jr
Wood, Daniel J
Kohlbray, Terry S

Reld, William R
Smith, Claude C, Jr
Hassinger, Herman A
Reed, George F, Jr
Weber, Arnold R
Kobsa, Calvin K
Mudd, Robert D
McKinney, Edward C
Dinsmore, Richard W
Munson, Frank W
Sutphen, Richard J
Dudley, Robert M
Buchsbaum, Robert A
Gilbeau, Robert C
Adsit, Charles
Herschenfeld, G. A
Hunt, David K
Mack, Robert J
Jackson, Thomas L
Fox, Arthur J, Jr
Stermann, Stephen H
Wagner, Thomas E
MacLaughlin, W. H., Jr
Sprick, James E
Wendell, Robert W
Logan, Joseph A, III
Campagnoli, R. C
Sickler, Halford B
Simpson, William D

RETIREMENT REPORT FOR 1 JAN

Category
A. Age
1. Thomas S. Coffee (1888) (X), CDR.
B. Physical Disability
1. Francis R. Dillenkoffer (1727) (X), CDR.
2. Fred E. Morton (1863) (X), CDR.
3. George H. Waddell (3277), LCDR.
4. Winford E. Allen (205-071), HMC.
C. Thirty Years
1. David Parker (1892) (W-4-27179), CDR.
2. Oliver F. McCow (1970), CDR.
3. George F. Erwin (2511), LCDR.
4. John T. Cherry (2589), LCDR.
D. Designations
1. Robert L. Kallin (3549), Lt.
2. James W. Bolding (3717), Lt.
3. Duane C. Ross (4115), Lt.
4. Maurice D. Bowers (4220), Lt.
5. Robert D. Valentine (4427), Lt.
6. Kenneth R. Spreen (4264), LTJG.

Ft. Monroe Gun Club

New officers of the Fort Monroe Gun Club elected at the final meeting of 1953 are Lt. Col. Bob E. Edwards, president; Lt. Col. F. L. Flatt, vice-president; Maj. D. W. Peterson, secretary-treasurer; Maj. C. J. Shaffer, Executive Officer and Maj. E. M. Rhoads, chief instructor.
The Ft. Monroe Pistol Team is still in third place in the Peninsula Winter Indoor Pistol League, two points behind Langley AFB which is leading the four-team league.

Col. Hightower Commands 9th Inf.

Col. Louis V. Hightower, former 2d Division Chief of Staff, has assumed command of the 9th Infantry Regiment in Korea, replacing Col. Julian J. Ewell, who has been reassigned to Headquarters, Eighth Army.

Set Aviation Workshop

The third National Aviation Education Workshop sponsored jointly by the Civil Air Patrol, civilian auxiliary of the Air Force and the University of Colorado, will begin 22 July. It was announced by Maj. Gen. Lucas V. Beau, USAF, National Commander of the Civil Air Patrol.

The mile-high campus of the university at Boulder again will be the scene of the project designed to provide a foundation for teachers and instructors who are interested in giving courses in aviation education or integrating aviation education with courses already being taught in their respective schools.

For the third consecutive year the workshop will be directed by Dr. Mervin K. Strickler, one of the nation's first educators to receive a degree as Doctor of Aviation Education. Doctor Strickler is the aviation educationist assigned by the Air Force to CAP's national headquarters in Washington. On the staff will be such educators as Dr. Roland H. Spauld-

ing of New York University.

While the majority of the teachers and Civil Air Patrol instructors who attend the workshop do so on scholarships given by their local CAP units, service or fraternal organizations, community business concerns and aviation interests, those who wish to attend at their own expense are welcome. Doctor Strickler emphasizes. The total cost for room, board and tuition for the five-week summer session is \$160.00.

New Foot Locker

The Army Quartermaster Corps is testing a new foot locker made of glass and cellulose fibers and polyester resin.

Although the experimental locker is lighter than the wooden one now in use, it is said to be more durable. It requires no nails or metal corners, is equipped with a rubber seal around the lip of the lid to protect its contents, and is designed for easy stacking and handling.

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MRS. JOHN W. YALE, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest S. Colbert, was Miss Mary Jacquelin Colbert before her marriage 29 Dec. in Alexandria, Va., to Lieutenant Yale, son of Col. and Mrs. W. W. Yale, USA.

AT Walter Reed Army Medical Center the traditional high noon reception marked the advent of a new year. The Commanding General, Maj. Gen. Leonard D. Heaton and Mrs. Heaton, together with their daughter, Sara Dudley, received the more than 1,000 guests.

A warm January sun that streamed through the windows of Delano Hall, where the guests gathered, spotlighted the many reunions of family members who attended together to greet old friends and make new friendships, including cadet sons from the U. S. Military Academy. Musical background was provided by a string ensemble.

Centerpiece bouquets of mixed spring flowers and tall white tapers in silver candelabra decorated the eggnog, sherry, and coffee tables where wives of the

chiefs of the various divisions and services presided.

Assisting in the arrangements were Col. and Mrs. Kermit H. Gates, Col. and Mrs. William S. Stone, Col. and Mrs. Michael L. Shepeck, and Col. and Mrs. James H. Mackin.

Open House at Club—

New Year's Day was observed with "Open House" at the Army and Navy Club in Washington, D. C. Mingling in the throng were glimpsed Maj. Gen. and Mrs. J. E. Chaney, Maj. Gen. Frank Cocheu, his son, Col. G. W. Cocheu and Mrs. Cocheu; also Brig. Gen. Robert A. Ginsburgh, USA-Ret., and Mrs. Ginsburgh, Brig. Gen. and Mrs. R. H. Jordan, Col. and Mrs. Richard D. La Garde, Mrs. Betts, widow of Gen. Betts, war-time Judge Advocate General in the European Theatre, Miss Anne Betts, Brig. Gen. O. B. Rosenbaum, Mrs. Clyde Parker, widow of Col. Parker, Col. and Mrs. S. R. Goodwin, Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Albert C. Dalton and Col. W. C. Bennett.

Observe Wedding Anniversary—

Vice Admiral and Mrs. Arthur Cayley Davis are entertaining this evening from 5:30 to 9 o'clock, celebrating their wedding anniversary, and giving their friends an opportunity to view the alterations they have made at their home in Chevy Chase.

Maj. Gen. & Mrs. Uncles Return—

Maj. Gen. and Mrs. John F. Uncles have returned to their home at Fort Myer after spending the Christmas Holidays with their son-in-law and daughter, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Burnside Huffman at West Point, where the Colonel is instructor in mathematics.

Mrs. Hoidra to Japan—

Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Robert N. Young have said goodbye to their daughter,

Mrs. George Hoidra and children who have been with them at Fort Myer, but are now on the high seas enroute to join Captain Hoidra in Japan.

Col. & Mrs. Scott in Oregon—

Col. Maylon E. Scott, USA-Ret., and Mrs. Scott are living at 775 N. Summer Street, Salem, Ore., since Colonel Scott's retirement. He is with the Oregon State Civil Defense.

Miss Wilder is Honor Student—

Miss Evelyn Wilder, daughter of Lt. Col. and Mrs. Guy B. Wilder, is an honor student in the Senior Class, Andalusia High School, Andalusia, Ala. Miss Wilder will graduate this Spring and enter Judson College at Marion, Ala. Colonel Wilder is in Korea.

Navy Wives' Joint Meeting—

The Navy Doctors Wives' and Navy Dentists Wives' Clubs of Washington will hold their first joint meeting at the Commissioned Officers' Club at the National Naval Medical Center, Bethesda, Md., at 12:30 on 14 Jan.

Mrs. E. L. Caveny and Mrs. C. H. Blackstone are presidents of the Doctors' and Dentists' Wives' Clubs respectively. The decorations committee will be Mrs. R. P. Irons, chairman, assisted by Mrs. Clay Boland, Mrs. J. C. Chapman, and Mrs. B. Faubion, all of the Dentists' Wives' Club.

The program will feature a talk by Comdr. John McGregor (MC) USN, who toured the Far East with Vice President and Mrs. Nixon and party, as the group physician. He will relate his experiences during this trip. Commander McGregor is assigned to duty at the Naval Hospital, Bethesda, Md.

War College Women Meet—

The National War College Women's Club held their monthly luncheon at the Ft. McNair Officers' Club 6 Jan.

Hostesses for the luncheon were: Mrs. Maurice Rice, Mrs. J. V. Smith, and Mrs. Walter Asmuth.

A local department store presented a flower arrangement show giving the origin and history of the various containers.

Chemical Corps Wives—

The first meeting of 1954 for the Chemical Corps Wives Club will be on 12 Jan. with a luncheon at the Army Navy Country Club.

A monologue will be presented by Mr. Ted Brown of the Falls Church Theater Group. Co-hostesses for the luncheon will be Mrs. Vincent F. La Piana and Mrs. Richard O. Gordon.

Col. & Mrs. Paxton Entertain—

The large colony of retired service personnel residing in Asheville, N. C., made merry during the Christmas-New Year Holidays at many enjoyable social gatherings, one being the "open house" held at the residence of Col. and Mrs. Orsen E. Paxton. Those attending included: Lt. Gen. and Mrs. Robert L. Eichelberger, Lt. Gen. and Mrs. Kenneth B. Wolfe, Gen. and Mrs. Albert E. Brown, Gen. and Mrs. Wm. A. McCulloch, Gen. and Mrs. Arthur A. White, Gen. and Mrs. Basil Perry, Gen. and Mrs. Wm. B. Bradford, Gen. and Mrs. Pierre Mallett, Gen. and Mrs. John C. Arrowsmith, Col. and Mrs. Frederick S. Wright, Col. and Mrs. Lowell B. Wright, Col. and Mrs. Eric M. Sward, Col. and Mrs. Charles S. Pettie, Col. and Mrs. K. P. Cooley, Col. and Mrs. Robert T. Foster, Col. and Mrs. Russell O. Smith, Col. and Mrs. Lee W. Haney.

Military Police Ladies Luncheon—

Ladies of the Military Police Corps will hold their first luncheon meeting of the New Year at 12:15 on Thursday 14 Jan. at the Officers' Club at the Naval Gun Factory.

The co-chairmen for programs, Mrs. Harold T. Lofton and Mrs. Oscar T. Hamner, have arranged a musical afternoon featuring Pvt. Lloyd Lindroth, the swing harpist from the U. S. Army Band.

Mrs. John F. Hyde will report on the group's Christmas project for the Aged Women's Home in Georgetown. She will also tell about the distribution of toys which members gave for needy youngsters at their December meeting.

Hostesses for the luncheon are the wives of the Operations Section officers of the Office of the Provost Marshal General. Mrs. Harley S. Moore, Jr., is

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MRS. RICHARD BEMBREY SMITH, JR., was Miss Dixey Anne Andrews, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Richard Stottko Andrews, of Burlingame, Calif., before her marriage 29 Dec. at Wilmington, N. C., to Dr. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard B. Smith of Hawkinsville, Ga.



MISS LILIAN ANNE WEIR, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Kenneth H. Weir, USMC, has become engaged to Lt. Edwin M. O'Connor, USMC, of Dallas, Tex. She is a senior at Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia.

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luncheon chairman and she will be assisted by the Mesdames Charles Finch, Lee Pray, Jay Wright, Wilbur Dillon, Merline Nelson, Albert Sandmark, Robert Updike and Robert Yowell.

Reservations may be made with Mrs. George Cornish, Jackson 7-5609.

Christmas for Servicemen—

Each year the Women's Army and Navy League (sponsor of the Soldiers', Sailors', Marines and Airmen's Club) provides free Christmas dinners for servicemen who at the time are overnight guests at the Club. It is a tradition with the League which dates back to 1872 when 3 servicemen were served. This Christmas more than 200 were served. These free dinners are made possible



MISS JOAN MAHALA ROBINSON, whose parents, Lt. Col. Geo. Laverne Robinson, USAF-Ret., and Mrs. Robinson, have announced her engagement to Cadet Albert Carl Lieber, jr., son of Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Albert C. Lieber of Centerville, Md., and Washington, D. C.

through donations by members of the Board of Directors of the Women's Army and Navy League and other friends of the Club.

Funds to maintain the Club are provided mainly through the Club's large membership among wives, mothers and daughters of officers of the various services, which membership is increased each year through a concentrated membership drive. Plans for the 1954 membership drive have already been formulated, and the drive itself will be in full swing within the next two weeks.

Mrs. Burton J. Ellis is the Membership Chairman and may be reached by telephoning Otis 4-7942.

Lallys Introduce Niece—

Debutante Elizabeth Sampen Johnson of Norfolk and Washington was introduced to friends of her aunt and uncle, Col. and Mrs. Lawrence Donald Lally, at a reception Saturday evening, 2 Jan. at the Lallys' home, 5065 Macomb St., N. W.

The 150 guests were greeted by the debutante and her aunt, the popular "Liz" wearing the white tulle floor length gown in which she made her formal debut earlier in the season, and Mrs. Lally in a green satin cocktail length dress with beaded bodice. Mrs. Lally wore orchids and Miss Johnson carried a bouquet of tiny white orchids. Assistants from the debutante contingent were Misses Patricia Priest, Betty Jane Johnson, Margaret Yount, and Jan Corbett and their escorts, Lt. Pierce Jensen, jr., USN, Nelson Johnson, Midshipman; Lt. Bob Holstrom, USN, and Capt. Floyd Hudson, USMC. The young people were later on Miss Johnson's guests for dancing at the Army and Navy Club. The Lally home was decorated for the reception with Spring flowers.

Miss Johnson made her initial bow at the Thanksgiving Cotillion at the Shoreham; the Lallys gave a dinner dance for

her and fifty of her contemporaries at the Army and Navy Club at the start of the holiday season. She was honored with Miss Patricia Priest at a tea given by Miss Joan Brownell and Miss Dana Dewey at the home of the latter on 20 Dec. Mrs. Charles S. Baker and her son H. Brooks Baker feted Miss Johnson at a 6 to 8 party at their home on 27 Dec.

A former student at William and Mary College, "Liz" is currently studying at Abbott's Art School.

Engineer Wives Luncheon—

The winter luncheon of the Army Engineer Officers Wives' Club took place at the Army Navy Country Club on 7 Jan. This was the first meeting of the group as a Club. Mrs. Edmund K. Daly, wife of Colonel Daly, was in charge of the luncheon.

Among the special guests at the meeting were Mrs. J. Robert Ryan, President of Jango and Mrs. Newell Hemenway, Executive Secretary of Jango. Mrs. Hemenway gave special emphasis to the Jango Bargain Shop project because the Engineer wives are planning a drive this month to produce many of the outgrown clothes and cast off articles which are sold by Jango at its Bargain Shop at 2005 K St. N. W. The proceeds of the sales of the Shop go to local charities.

Mrs. David H. Tulley, wife of Brigadier General Tulley, and President of the Club announced the appointment of the following Chairmen and of the Standing Committees and other members of the Engineer Wives Board.

Membership: Mrs. Jackson Graham, wife of Colonel Graham;

Club Arrangements: Mrs. Richard Jewett, wife of Colonel Jewett;

Nominating: Mrs. Kenneth D. Nichols, wife of Maj. Gen. Nichols;

Hostesses: Mrs. Maximiano Janairo, wife of Colonel Janairo;

Publicity: Mrs. Clinton F. Robinson, wife of Maj. Gen. Robinson;

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Corresponding Secretary: Mrs. Calvin C. Campbell, wife of Lieutenant Colonel Campbell; and Assistant Treasurer, Mrs. Francis H. Falkner, wife of Colonel Falkner.

Mrs. Tulley also announced that the next monthly meeting of the Club would be a Coffee Party which would take place at the Army Navy Country Club under the sponsorship of the Area Hostesses, with Mrs. John U. Allen as Chairman.

JANGO Capping Ceremony—

The Capping Ceremony for approximately 40 girls from JANGO who work at Doctors' Hospital will be held Monday, 11 Jan. at 8 p.m. in the auditorium of the District of Columbia Medical Society, 1718 M Street, N.W.

The class began in September and upon completion of a 24 hours training course and an additional 100 hours of service the girls become eligible for a cap. The 100 hours must be completed

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MISS CAROLYN BUCK, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Champlin Buck, will be married in June to Mr. Robert Moore.



MRS. EDWARD ROBIN SANDERS was Miss Gail Elizabeth Kitchings, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Boyce Dexter Kitchings, jr., before her marriage 23 Dec. in Heidelberg, Germany, to Mr. Sanders.

within the three month period of the training course.

The presiding officer for the ceremony will be Dr. Alan Chenery, secretary of the Board of Directors of the hospital. The address will be given by Rear Adm. Don S. Knowlton, MC, USNR. The award of chevrons will be made by Mrs. R. N. Norgaard, chairman of the Doctors' Hospital Guild. White chevrons will be given for 200 hours' service, blue for 300 hours, and red for 500 hours. The three girls receiving the red chevrons are Maria Ecker-Racz, Cecile Hanley, and Elspeth Norgaard. The caps and certificates will be awarded by Mrs. Helen M. Newton, RN, Directress of Nurses and Dr. Edgar A. Bocock, Hospital Administrator.

Guests will include Mrs. J. Robert Ryan, president of JANGO, Mrs. Fred R. Miller, Board Advisor to the Guild, and members of the Board of Directors of JANGO. Parents and friends are invited to the ceremony.

Queen of Christmas Dance—

Miss Dacia Custer, daughter of Lt. Col. and Mrs. Charles A. Custer, was chosen Queen of the Annual Christmas Formal Senior Class Dance at Las Cruces, N. Mex. She recently returned with her parents from Heidelberg, Germany. Colonel Custer is now assigned as Unit Advisor, USAR, N. Mex. Military District with station at Las Cruces.

Weddings and Engagements

CAPT. and Mrs. James B. Glennon, USN, (Ret.), announce the marriage of their daughter Mrs. William F. Harris to Col. Harris B. Hull, USAF, on 1 Jan. at Immanuel Church-On-The-Hill, Alexandria, Va.

The bride is the granddaughter of the late Commandant of the Marine Corps, General John A. Lejeune and the late Mrs. Lejeune, and of the late Admiral James H. Glennon and Mrs. Glennon of Wash., D. C. She is the widow of Lt. Col. William F. Harris, USMC. Mrs. Harris attended Gunston Hall, Sweet Briar College, and is a graduate of George Washington University.

Colonel Hull is the son of the late Harry Edward Hull and of Mrs. Hull of



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MRS. HARRIS B. HULL, the former Mrs. William F. Harris, daughter of Capt. James B. Glennon, USN (Ret.) and Mrs. Glennon, was married 1 Jan., in Alexandria, Va., to Colonel Hull, USAF.



MRS. GEORGE WILLIAM HARTNELL, JR., the former Miss Nancy McCunniff, daughter of Brig. Gen. Dennis E. McCunniff, USA-Ret., and Mrs. McCunniff, was married on 21 Dec. in Columbus, Ga., to Captain Hartnell.



MISS MARGARET CALVERT HORNER, daughter of Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Matthew Chas. Horner, USMC, of Camp Lejeune, N. C., whose engagement to Lt. Thomas Tatnall Gildden, USMC, has been announced.

3000 Connecticut Avenue, N. W. His father was a long time member of Congress who served as Commissioner General of Immigration 1926-32. During World War II Colonel Hull served in Europe in the Eighth Air Force and in the Mediterranean Allied Air Force. He is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania and is a member of the University Club and the National Press Club. He is presently on duty in the Pentagon.

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MRS. WALTER G. BRYTE, wife of Colonel Bryte, pouring tea for her guest from Denver, Colo., Mrs. Lyle F. Johnston, at the Air Force Officers' Wives' Club annual Christmas at-home held recently in the Army-Navy Country Club, Arlington, Va. Several hundred members turned out for the enjoyable affair.

Weddings and Engagements (Continued from Preceding Page)

GLIDDEN-HORNER—Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Mathew Charles Horner, USMC, of Camp Lejeune, N. C., announce the engagement of their daughter, Margaret Calvert, to Lt. Thomas Tatnall Glidden, USMC, son of Mr. and Mrs. Burt R. Glidden, of Lancaster, Pa.

Miss Horner is a graduate of Ashley Hall, Charleston, S. C., and at present is a senior at Briarcliff Junior College, Briarcliff Manor, N. Y.

Lieutenant Glidden is a graduate of Brown University and is currently on duty as a student at the Marine Corps School, Quantico, Va.

The wedding is planned for late June.

MOORE-BUCK—Col. and Mrs. Champlin Buck announce the engagement of their daughter, Carolyn, to Mr. Robert Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Moore of Maplewood, N. J.

Miss Buck was graduated from National Cathedral School in 1950 and is now a senior at Wilson College in Chambersburg, Pa.

Mr. Moore was graduated from Lehigh University in 1953 with a degree in Mechanical Engineering and is now with

the DuPont Company in Charleston, W. Va. He is a member of the Sigma Chi Fraternity.

The wedding will take place in June.

COURSIN-NOWLAND—Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Bob E. Nowland, USAF-Ret., of 36 Chula Vista Drive, San Rafael, Calif., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Jane Ward, to Lt. Jack T. Coursin, USN.

Miss Nowland attended Briarcliff Junior College, Briarcliff Manor, N. Y., Western College at Oxford, Ohio, and was graduated from the University of Hawaii. She made her debut at a cotillion given by the German Club of San Antonio in 1948. For the past two years she has been a stewardess with Pan-American World Airways, flying throughout the Pacific Ocean area.

Lieutenant Coursin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph T. Coursin, 1115 Colonial Ave., Canton, Ohio. He attended Baldwin-Wallace College in Berea, Ohio, and was commissioned in the Navy from the Midshipman School at Ft. Schuyler, N. Y., in February 1945.

Lieutenant Coursin served in the Pacific Theater during WW II and is now Aide to the Commandant, Twelfth Naval District, whose headquarters is in San Francisco, Calif.

O'CONNOR-WEIR—Col. Kenneth H. Weir, USMC, and Mrs. Weir, Naval Air Station, Glenview, Ill., announce the engagement of their daughter, Lillian Anne Weir, to Mr. Edwin Morten O'Connor, III, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. O'Connor, Jr., of Dallas, Tex.

Nan, as she is known to her friends, was graduated from St. Margaret's School For Girls, Tappahannock, Va., and is a senior at Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia at Fredericksburg. Her fiancé attended Tulane and is a graduate of Southern Methodist University where he is now a law student. He is a member of Kappa Sigma Fraternity and a First Lieutenant, USMCR.

LUTZ-ELLISON—Mr. and Mrs. James Geyer Ellison, Ben Avon, Pa., have announced the betrothal of their daughter, Janet Ruth and Lt. Robert Curtis Lutz, Jr., son of Col. Robert Lutz.

The bride-elect attended Pennsylvania College for Women and is now enrolled at the Katherine Gibbs School, Boston, Mass. Lieutenant Lutz attended Valley Forge Military Academy and Sullivan School, Washington, D. C., and is now serving in the Army.

Plans for a June wedding have been made.

LIEBER-ROBINSON—Lt. Col. George Laverne Robinson, USAF-Ret., and Mrs. Robinson of 6820 Narrows Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., announce the engagement of their daughter, Joan Mahala Robinson,

to Cadet Albert Carl Lieber, Jr., son of Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Albert Carl Lieber of Centerville, Md., and Washington, D. C.

Miss Robinson, an alumna of Katherine Gibbs School in New York, is Secretary to the Cadet Hostess at the U. S. Military Academy.

Cadet Lieber is a first classman at the USMA.

They will be married at the Cadet Chapel shortly after his graduation in June.

GAYNOR-CRITZER—Mr. and Mrs. Chesterfield Caldwell Critzer, of Baltimore, Md., announce the engagement of their daughter, Ann Martin Critzer, to Midshipman Henry Jonathan Gaynor, son of Mrs. Richard Earle Gaynor and the late Mr. Gaynor, of Du Bois, Pa.

Miss Critzer is a graduate of Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia, in Fredericksburg. She has also studied at Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore and the University of Virginia in Charlottesville.

Midshipman Gaynor will graduate from the U. S. Naval Academy with the Class of 1954. He served with the Navy prior to his appointment to Annapolis.

The wedding will take place 4 June in the Naval Academy Chapel.

NOREEN-PRESSEY—Miss Sarah Joanne Pressey, daughter of Lt. Col. Herbert Pressey (ChC) and Mrs. Pressey of San Mateo, Calif., and Capt. Albert T. Noreen, Jr., son of Mrs. Ethel Noreen, of Wash., D. C., were married 19 Dec. at the Post Chapel, Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.

Mrs. Noreen is a graduate of Randolph-Macon Woman's College, Lynchburg, Va., and has attended the graduate School of Stanford University.

Captain Noreen is a graduate of Stanford University. During World War II he served with the 82d Airborne Division, and in Korea, with G.H.Q. First Raider Company. He is currently attending the Army Language School at the Presidio of Monterey.

The couple are now at home, 108 Mar Vista Drive, Monterey, Calif.

COOPER-COLBY—Lt. Col. Nathaniel H. Colby, USAF, and Mrs. Colby of Arlington, Va., announce the engagement of their daughter, Emma Louise, to Cadet Joe Lane Cooper, son of Lt. Col. Harry W. Cooper, USA, and Mrs. Cooper now stationed in Heidelberg, Germany.

Miss Colby is attending McLean School of Nursing, Boston, Mass. Cadet Cooper is a first classman at New Mexico Military Institute, Roswell, N. Mex.

A June wedding is planned.

SANDERS-KITCHINGS—The marriage of Miss Gail Elizabeth Kitchings, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Boyce Dexter Kitchings, Jr., of the Inspector General Division, Headquarters, U. S. Army, Europe, and Mr. Edward Robin Sanders, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gibson Sanders of Frogmore Manor, Saint Helena Island, S. C., was performed 23 Dec., in a candle light ceremony at the Army Chapel in Heidelberg, Germany.

Chaplain (1st Lt.) C. L. Burgreen officiated in the double ring ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a blue silk suit, pink feather hat and matching gloves. For her bou-



COL. AND MRS. HERBERT J. McCHRISTAL admire a scroll that was presented the colonel at Ft. Shafter, Hawaii, when he retired after 36 years' Army service. Colonel McChrystal was Inspector General for USAEPAC.

quet, she carried a white prayer book decorated with pink carnations and lilies of the valley. The prayer book was carried by the bride's great aunt during her wedding.

The bride was attended by Miss Ann Augusta Schomburg, daughter of Brig. Gen. and Mrs. A. Schomburg. 1st Lt. Frederick William Schepher, III, served as the groom's best man.

After the ceremony, a reception was held in the ballroom of the Schloss Hotel with the traditional cutting of the wedding cake with the sabre.

The bride attended the College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, Va. The groom is a student at Clemson College, Clemson, S. C.

The couple returned to the U. S. by air 26 Dec. for a visit in Beaufort and Frogmore, S. C., before going to Clemson, S. C., to reside.

KIRK-YAW—Mr. and Mrs. William R. Yaw of Bloomfield Hills, Mich., announce the engagement of their daughter, Betty, to Roger Kirk, son of Admiral Alan G. Kirk, USN (Ret.), former Ambassador to Russia, and Mrs. Kirk.

Miss Yaw is a graduate of Foxhollow School and Mills College, class of 1952. She is a provisional member of the Washington Junior League. Mr. Kirk attended Groton and graduated in 1952 from Princeton. He is now serving in the U. S. Air Force.

The wedding will take place in April.

HARTNELL-McCUNIFF—Miss Nancy McCuniff, daughter of Brig. Gen. Dennis E. McCuniff, USA-Ret., and Mrs. McCuniff, became the bride of Capt. George William Hartnell, Jr., on 21 Dec. in the Catholic Chapel at Ft. Benning, Ga. Chaplain (Capt.) Francis J. Gorham

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FT. RICHARDSON, ALASKA: Enjoying their December luncheon are members of the Engineer Officers Wives Club in the newly opened "Cheechako Room" of the Ft. Richardson Officers Club. Seated at the head table are (l to r) Mrs. Mont. S. Johnston, Mrs. Sanford J. Butler, Mrs. Carl Y. Farrell, Mrs. William M. Miley, Mrs. John Carroll, Mrs. Barney A. Daughtry, Mrs. Ernest L. Stockton, and Mrs. John Page.

Weddings and Engagements

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officiated. Captain Hartnell is the son of Col. and Mrs. William R. Grove of Laurel, Fla.

General McCunniff gave his daughter in marriage. Her wedding gown was of cream colored lace designed with a boat neckline and long pointed sleeves. A satin draped apron effect, trimmed in pleated nylon ruffling, was drawn up in the back to form a large bustle with wide satin streamers. The streamers were also edged in pleated nylon. She wore a waist length illusion veil and carried a bouquet of white orchids.

Miss Carol McCunniff was her sister's maid of honor, and bridesmaids were the groom's sister, Mrs. William F. Pence, Miss Nancy Hopkins, Miss Cynthia Camp and Miss Barbara Fritzsche. Miss Madge Grove, the groom's sister was junior bridesmaid.

Capt. John B. Wadsworth was best man, and usher-groomsman were Capt. Thomas G. McCunniff, brother of the bride; Capt. Robert Petersen, Capt. Walworth F. Williams, Capt. William F. Pence, Capt. Carter W. Clarke, Jr., and Capt. Lawrence V. Hoyt.

General and Mrs. McCunniff entertained with a reception in the Corridor room of the Main Officers' Club at Ft. Benning, after which Captain and Mrs. Hartnell left for their wedding trip.

SEDNAOUI-RUSSELL — Miss Anne Carter Russell, daughter of Rear Adm. and Mrs. George Lucius Russell, became the bride of Michael Choukri Sednaoui in an early evening ceremony performed by Dean Richard Trelease at the Parke Memorial Chapel, St. Andrew's Cathedral, Pearl Harbor, T. H., on 9 Dec.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of ivory satin, fashioned with a long sleeved jacket over a fitted bodice. A full skirt falling into a cathedral train accentuated its classic simplicity. Her veil was antique lace, and her only jewelry, a beautiful jeweled cross, a family heirloom, and a gift from the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Sedanoui. She carried a white cattleya orchid on a prayer book with streamers of white dendorubiums.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Thomas Hale Russell, and bridesmaids were Mrs. Randolph King, Mrs. David Hume, Miss Alice Longfellow and Miss Diana Turner.

Thomas Hale Russell, brother of the bride, acted as best man, and Lt. Comdr. David Hume, Lt. Randolph King, Lt. Paul Keenan and Lt. Harvey Lyon were ushers.

A dinner reception was held at the Submarine Base Officers' Club, following the ceremony.

The bride is a graduate of George Washington University, Washington, D. C. Mr. Sednaoui attended the American University at Beirut and Columbia University and is now sales executive for Africa and the Middle East for International Police Equipment Corporation.

The couple will make their home in Maadi, Egypt, after a wedding trip to Hana-Mauli, Christmas with their parents in Pearl Harbor and a short stay in New York City, home of the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Choukri Sednaoui.

WARREN-REYNOR — At a double ring ceremony by Chaplain (Lt.) David L. Miller, Miss Violet Reynor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Reynor of Maple Hill, N. C., became the bride of Lt. Rufus Hawkins Warren of Roseboro, N. C.

The wedding took place in the Quartermaster School Chapel at Ft. Lee, Va., on 20 Dec.

Miss Betty Brown of Florence, S. C., was the bride's only attendant. Lt. Frank Mason served as best man.

The bride's costume was a grey suit with turquoise accessories, and her corsage was of white orchids. Miss Reynor attended Women's College, University of North Carolina, for two years and is currently a student at Richmond Polytechnic Institute, Richmond, Va.

Lieutenant Warren, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Warren of Roseboro, is assigned to the Quartermaster School at Ft. Lee. He is a graduate of North Carolina State College. Upon graduation from college, he was commissioned a second lieutenant in the United States Army Reserve and was called to active duty with the Army in August 1953.

LINDSTROM-BRENNAN—Married at Henry Barracks, P. R., on 26 Dec. were Miss Elizabeth Ann Brennan and Lt. Lewis I. Lindstrom.

Miss Brennan was the director of the Ft. Brooke Service Club prior to her marriage. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan F. Vickers, of Park Falls, Wisc. Lieutenant Lindstrom, Assistant Post Adjutant of Henry Barracks, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Lindstrom of 1232 Gibson Street, Talent, Ore.

Miss Brennan wore a street-length gown of blue lace, fashioned with a full skirt, long sleeves and a peter pan collar. Her hat was a cloche of blue lace, and she carried a bouquet of blue and white flowers.

Her attendant was Mrs. Jack Bolt.

Maj. Jack Bolt, S-3 of Henry Barracks, was best man. The ushers were Lt. Martin Hardy, S-2, Henry Barracks, and Lt. Sherwood McCord, Assistant Post Adjutant of Ft. Brooke.

Lt. Comdr. L. A. Doty, Chaplain of Roosevelt Roads Naval Installation, officiated at the afternoon wedding in the Henry Barracks Post Chapel.

At the reception, the saber of Lt. Col. Robert J. Faust, Commanding Officer of the Post, was used to cut the wedding cake.

Attending the wedding and reception, in addition to the Post's officers were Lt.



MISS ANN WREAN, Sun Carnival Duchess representing the Ft. Bliss Officers' Wives' Club, and her escort, Lt. James A. Whitmarsh, enjoy a brief intermission at the tea dance given in her honor, 28 Dec., at the Bliss Officers' Club. Miss Wrean is the daughter of Col. Joy T. Wrean, Assistant Commandant of the Antiaircraft and Guided Missiles Branch of The Artillery School. Lieutenant Whitmarsh is with the Gunnery Department of the AA & GM Branch, TAS.

Col. and Mrs. Clarence J. Sullivan, Commanding Officer of Ft. Brooke.

The Lieutenant and his wife will live at Henry Barracks when they return from their honeymoon.

YALE-COLBERT — Mr. and Mrs. Ernest S. Colbert announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Mary Jacquelin Colbert, on 29 Dec. to Lt. John W. Yale, USAF, son of Col. and Mrs. W. W. Yale, USA, of Trieste. The candlelight service took place in the Grace Episcopal Church, Alexandria, Va. The Rev. Edward L. Merrow officiated.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white chantilly lace over satin, fashioned with nylon tulle cascades in front, and illusion neckline. Her fingertip veil was held by a pearl crown, and she carried a white orchid, lilies of the valley and a prayer book.

Her sister, Miss Sue Colbert, was maid of honor, and bridesmaids were Mrs. James E. Bowen, Mrs. Frederick A. West, Mrs. Gordon L. Dewey, and Mrs. Carolyn Brown.

Lt. James E. Bowen, USA, was the best man, and ushers were Lt. John

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FT. MONROE, VA.

Officers of the Non-Commissioned Officers' Club at a recent tea at which they entertained new members. Left to right: Mrs. Owen Dovell, nursery committee chairman; Mrs. Geo. Liverman, vice president; Mrs. Douglas Kohl, publicity committee chairman; Mrs. Arthur Clemens, secretary-treasurer, and Mrs. John Julia, president. Mrs. Joseph Wasilewski was hostess.



Smythe, USA, Lt. Michael Cousland, USA, Lt. Paul McIntyre, USAF, Lt. Charles Ramsgate, USAF, Lt. James Pfautz, USAF, and Lt. John Englehart, USAF.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the Army-Navy Country Club in Arlington, Va.

The bride is a graduate of the Mary Washington College, University of Virginia, Fredericksburg, Va.

Lieutenant Yale is a graduate of the U. S. Military Academy.

After a short wedding trip the couple will be at Malden AFB, Mo., where Lieutenant Yale is stationed.

ELERDING - ROCHEFORT — Miss Janet Fay Rochefort and Charles Ernest Elerding, Jr., exchanged nuptial vows at 8:30 p. m., 19 Dec. at St. Cross Episcopal Church, Hermosa Beach, Calif., with the Rev. Richard I. S. Parker officiating.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. For the occasion, she chose a regal satin gown with simple scoop neckline, traditional long sleeves and chapel length train. The gown was appliqued with Chantilly lace forming the upper bodice and sweeping down the train in a wide panel. Her headpiece was a pearl embroidered Chantilly lace tiara and she carried a cascade of white roses and stephanotis with a white orchid center.

Miss Jeanne DeFlon was maid of honor; Mrs. Joseph J. Rochefort, Jr., matron of honor and Misses Jean O'Neill and Marilyn Rehms, bridesmaids.

Best man was LeRoy Elerding, brother of the bridegroom. Jack Carpenter, Donalds Reinholdt and Jim Paul were ushers.

A reception was held at the Neptunian Clubhouse in Manhattan Beach after which the couple left for a San Francisco wedding trip. They are making their home in Los Angeles.

The bride is the daughter of Capt. Joseph J. Rochefort, USN, and Mrs. Rochefort, 225 Third St., Manhattan Beach. She is a graduate of U.C.L.A. and a member of Delta Delta Delta sorority. She also attended Punahou School in Honolulu.

The bridegroom, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elerding, 833 Kodak Dr., Los Angeles, is a graduate of U.S.C. and is attending the school of Medicine there. He is a member of Theta Chi, Phi Beta Kappa and Phi Chi.

The bride's brother, Capt. Joseph J. Rochefort, Jr., USA, Corps of Engineers, is now stationed in Korea and was unable to attend the wedding.

MARTIN-BRODERICK—Mrs. Eleanor Broderick and Col. Merl L. Broderick, retired, announce the engagement of their

daughter, Eleanor Merl, to Lt. Robert Norman Martin, USA, son of Mrs. Robert R. Martin of Dallas, Tex., and the late Colonel Martin.

Miss Broderick attended Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, and will be graduated from Wesley Memorial Hospital School of Nursing in March. Lieutenant Martin is a graduate of the U. S. Military Academy, 1953, and is stationed at Ft. Benning, Ga.

ADAMS-RIVERS—Mr. and Mrs. John Minott Rivers, 20 Church Street, Charleston, S. C., announce the engagement of their daughter, Martha Robinson, to Lt. Floyd Cecil Adams, Jr., USA, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Cecil Adams of Athens, Ga.

Miss Rivers is a graduate of Ashley Hall and is a student at Vassar College, Poughkeepsie, N. Y. She is a member of the Question Mark Club.

Lieutenant Adams is a graduate of the Citadel in the class of 1952, where he was Cadet Colonel and Regimental Commander. He was president of the senior class and received the Algernon Sydney Sullivan award for leadership. In July 1951, he was designated the outstanding Anti-Aircraft Artillery ROTC student in the United States. In July 1952, he was presented the Douglas MacArthur Award, given by the Veterans of Foreign Wars to the outstanding ROTC graduate in the United States. Lieutenant Adams is with the U. S. Army in Germany.

The wedding is planned for 19 June 1954.

Close Holabird School

The Signal Corps Supply School at Ft. Holabird, Md., will be closed 31 Jan. 1954, and its functions transferred to other Signal Corps training installations at Ft. Monmouth, N. J., and Camp Gordon, Ga.

Reduced enrollment at the school, which made it uneconomical to operate, was given by the Army as the chief reason for shutting down the installation.

110th FA History

The WW II history of the 110th Field Artillery has been published by the Maryland Historical Society. Written by Col. John P. Cooper, Jr., Maryland National Guard, former commander of the 110th and present executive of the 29th Division Artillery, the book includes maps, pictures, official citations and a full chapter on the 224th Field Artillery Battalion.

A copy can be obtained for five dollars from the War Records Division, Maryland Historical Society, 620 Park Ave., Baltimore 1, Md.



FT. SAM HOUSTON, —Officers of the Brooke Army Medical Center Wives' Club (l. to r.): Mrs. Melvin V. Schlaak, treasurer; Mrs. Edwin S. Marsh, vice-president; Mrs. William J. Moreland, president; Mrs. William H. Lindsey, secretary. (Not shown are Mrs. Wm. E. Shambora, honorary president, and Mrs. E. S. Wallace, board member.)

Col. French Retires

■ **FT. DIX, N. J.** The 9th Infantry Division at Ft. Dix has announced the retirement of Col. Jules K. French, Commanding Officer of the 36th Infantry Regiment.

Colonel French entered the military service from the State of New York during WWI. In 1926, he was commissioned as a second lieutenant of cavalry and during the years of peace, he devoted a considerable portion of his time to training National Guard Units. Colonel French was ordered into active Federal service on 10 Jan. 1941 and during WWII served at Second Corps Area Headquarters, the War Department General Staff, and with the 83d Infantry Division in Europe.

At the conclusion of the Second World War, and prior to his assignment to the 9th Infantry Division, Colonel French was integrated into the Regular Army and continued his service with a second assignment to the General Staff, a tour of duty as instructor with the Pennsylvania National Guard, and by command and general staff assignment within Headquarters Ryukyu Command and Sixth Army Headquarters.

He is married to the former Mary Kunkel of Harrisburg, Penna., and they have two daughters: Lydia, 14, and Molly, 10. Colonel French and his family have taken up temporary residence in Bordentown, N. J.

■ **FT. MONROE, VA.** Four officers assigned to the Office, Chief of Army Field Forces, have been selected to attend the next session of the Armed Forces Staff College at Norfolk, Va.

The four, who will report to the college in early February, are Lt. Col. Walter J. Rozamus, Thomas W. Sharkey, George Juskaian, and James K. Terry.

■ **FITZSIMONS AIL, COLO.** Mrs. James M. Epperly, wife of Brigadier General Epperly and president of the Officers' Wives' Club, coordinated with Montaldo's of Denver in sponsoring a recent fashion show for the club. Decorations for the affair consisted of lemon and fall leaves in urns. Models included the following Fitzsimons personnel: Miss Judy Robinson, Mrs. Charles J. Ruth, Mrs. Paul W. Hayes, Mrs. Raymond M. Williams, Mrs. Lloyd W. Taylor, Mrs. Arthur F. Lincoln, Mrs. John F. Patton, Mrs. Theodore A. Kiersch, Mrs. Lloyd Gregory, Mrs. Orin E. Strande, Mrs. L. D. Bogan, Mrs. John P. Christensen, Mrs. Phillip Young, Mrs. Robert Gosling, Mrs. Ronald Dew and Mrs. Eugene S. Graham.



Mrs. Epperly

■ **AUGUSTA ARSENAL, GA.** Col. and Mrs. W. H. Dawson, Jr., had as recent house guests Mr. and Mrs. Bynum Johnson and Miss Barbara Johnson of Kingston, N. C. Mr. Johnson is an official at the Kennedy Memorial Baptist Orphans' Home at Kingston.

Misses Elizabeth and Sarah Dawson entertained at a "Coke Party" on 27 Dec. in honor of their guest, Miss Johnson. They invited approximately 35 teen-age young ladies from the Arsenal, Augusta and Camp Gordon.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Walter E. Freeman recently entertained a group of Arsenal friends with a buffet supper. Among the guests were: Col. and Mrs. W. H. Dawson, Jr., Col. and Mrs. Frank A. Kreidel, Col. and Mrs. Paul Cooper, Col. and Mrs. William D. Harden, Maj. and Mrs. John L. Townsend, Maj. and Mrs. Robert A. Hill, Capt. and Mrs. Milton E. Wickliffe, Capt. and Mrs. Henry L. Watson, Lt. and Mrs. Kenneth L. Carpenter, Lt. and Mrs. Herald V. Echols, Lt. and Mrs. Bernard C. Wampler, Mrs. Charles A. McCravy, Mr. and Mrs. Staples and Mr. Allen Pendleton.

■ **CARSWELL AFB, TEX.** Officers' wives have been active during the holiday season beginning 10 Dec. when the monthly Newcomers' Party was held as a tree-trimming party. Two large balsam trees, one sprayed white, were trimmed, the white one being done with ornaments decorated in glitter by the members with the names of their husbands' squadrons.

A modern driftwood branch in the lounge also got its share of large, shiny balls and ropes of beads, and the front door was tied up in red paper like a package by the members of the Art Group. Garden Club members also advised the general membership. Mrs. J. M. Blaine, Newcomers' Chairman, was in charge of arrangements for the party, and Mrs. W. C. Rawson was in charge of decorations for the club.

The annual O. W. C. eggnog party for the entire membership of the Officers' Club was held 19 Dec. Egnog, fruitcake and sandwiches were served from the table decorated with silver balls holding large, white maroon



Servicemen at the Soldiers', Sailors', Marine and Air-men's Club enjoying free Christmas dinners provided by the Women's Army and Navy League, and at the same time listening to a message from Mrs. Dwight D. Eisenhower (Honorary President of the League) being read to them by Mrs. Claude B. Mickelwait, President of the League.

Notes from Posts, Stations, and Bases

daisies and entwined with tinsel ropes.

Mrs. A. A. Andrae was general chairman; Mmes. J. D. Ryan, E. E. Bartlett, G. C. Mitchell, C. W. Britton and W. C. Rawson were chairmen of other committees. The members of the O. W. C. Council poured.

Christmas parties were held at the base schools 18 Dec., and Santa Claus also visited the base nursery twice during the pre-Christmas period.

Aloha For McChrystal

■ **PACIFIC ARMY HEADQUARTERS, HAWAII.** An aloha parade at Ft. Shafter marked the retirement of Col. Herbert J. McChrystal, Inspector General for the U. S. Army Pacific, after 36 years of military service.

Colonel McChrystal, a veteran of two World Wars, arrived in USARPAC in January 1952 from Ft. McPherson, Ga., where he was IG for the Third Army.

Colonel and Mrs. McChrystal will make their home in the U. S.

■ **PHILADELPHIA, PA.** The regular monthly luncheon meeting of the Navy Doctors Wives' Club of the Fourth Naval District will be held at the Officers' Club, Philadelphia Naval Base, on Tuesday, 12 Jan., at 12:45 P. M. Mrs. Melville J. Aston, President, will preside.

The guest speaker will be Dr. Melville J. Aston, Director of the Division of Health Center Administration, Department of Public Health, Philadelphia. Dr. Aston, a retired naval officer, formerly in command of the local Naval Hospital and the Naval Medical School, Bethesda, Md., will speak on "Certain Aspects of Civil Defense." He is the Deputy Director of the Division of Health Services and Special Weapons Defense, Philadelphia Civil Defense Council.

Hostesses for the day will be Mrs. Joseph Maloriello and Mrs. Edward Wilmer.

Retired Generals Prominent

■ **FT. SAM HOUSTON, TEX.** Some 650 officers, ladies, local dignitaries and retired Army generals turned out for the traditional New Year's Day reception held by Lt. Gen. I. D. White, Fourth Army commander.

The American flag and colors representing the 4th Army and the five states in the Army area combined with the many generals' flags to add to the pageantry of the first formal social event of 1954.

General White, Maj. Gen. Hadon L. Boatner, deputy Army commander; Brig. Gen. Numa A. Watson, chief of staff, and their wives formed the receiving line.

Prominent among the many guests in dress blues and pinks and greens were the retired Army generals from the San Antonio area.

■ **FT. JACKSON, S. C.** Lt. Col. Luther O. Hinson, Commanding Officer of the Personnel Center, has been ordered to overseas duty with the Far East Command. He is a graduate of Personal Affairs School and Civilian Personnel School in Washington, D. C.

■ **FT. CAMPBELL, KY.** Capt. Richard D. Baldwin, aide de camp to Maj. Gen. Wayne C. Smith, CG of Ft. Campbell and the 11th Airborne Division, has been presented the third bronze oak-leaf cluster to the Air Medal.

The presentation was made by General Smith for meritorious service in Korea last spring. Serving with the 7th Infantry Division in Korea, Captain Baldwin was decorated for piloting an unarmed aircraft at low altitude over enemy-held territory.

Ryukyuan-American Women's Society

■ **OKINAWA.** Organization of a Ryukyuan-American Women's Society, a unique example of friendship and understanding between Americans and Ryukyuan women, came closer to reality last month when members of the U. S. Civil Administration of the Ryukyu Islands Women's Club and Ryukyuan women leaders met at tea at the home of Mrs. Bromley, wife of Brig. Gen. Charles V. Bromley, Civil Administrator of the Ryukyu Islands. Mrs. Bromley and Mrs. Thomas H. Murfin, wife of the American Consul, were hostesses.

A planning committee, composed of both American and Ryukyuan women, was selected at the meeting to draft a constitution and by-laws and to appoint a nominating committee prior to the next meeting slated for mid-January at the Rycom Officers Open Mess. The committee was also empowered to appoint a temporary chairman for the meeting.

Mrs. Ogden, wife of Maj. Gen. David A. D. Ogden, CG, Ryukyu Command and Deputy Governor, Ryukyu Islands, who was a guest at the tea, expressed enthusiastic hopes for the future of the new society.

Speaking on behalf of the Ryukyuan women, Mrs. Shuhel Hilga, wife of the Chief Executive, stated that she was elated over the opportunity to meet with the Americans and assured the USCAR women that they can expect 100 per cent cooperation from the native participants.

Mrs. Luke A. Westenberg, wife of the USCAR Director of Public Services Department, explained at the tea that the main theme to be stressed in the program of the society will be social and cultural activities. Through participation in such activities the friendship and understanding existing between the Americans and Ryukyuan women will be further strengthened, she said.

Fete Sun Carnival Duchess

■ **FT. BLISS, TEX.** The Officers' Club, gay with Yuletide decor, was the setting 28 Dec. for one of the brilliant social events of the annual Southwestern Sun Carnival celebrated at El Paso, Tex. The affair was a tea dance honoring Miss Ann Wrean, Sun Carnival Duchess representing the Officers Wives' Club. Miss Wrean, daughter of Col. and Mrs.

Joy T. Wrean of Ft. Bliss, was one of 10 Duchesses in the Sun Queen's Court.

Guests were received by Maj. Gen. S. R. Mickelsen, CG, and Mrs. Mickelsen; Col. Joseph C. Moore, chairman of the Ft. Bliss Officers' Club board of governors, and Mrs. Moore; Mrs. Hobart Hewett, president of the Officers Wives' Club; Col. and Mrs. Wrean, parents of the honoree; Miss Wrean and her escort, Lt. J. A. Whitmarsh.

Sun Queen-Elect Sandra Schwartz of El Paso and her court with their escorts were honored guests.

Pouring were Mrs. Terry Allen, wife of Maj. Gen. Allen (Ret.); Mrs. G. Ralph Meyer, wife of Maj. Gen. Meyer (Ret.); Mrs. A. M. Lawrence, wife of Col. Lawrence (Ret.), and the mothers of the nine other Duchesses in the Sun Queen's Court.

Mrs. W. M. Vestal was general chairman for the tea dance, which was given by the Officers' Club.

About 500 military and civilian guests attended the affair, an annual courtesy for the Sun Carnival Duchess representing the Officers Wives' Club.

■ **CAMP DETRICK, MD.** The Officers' Open Mess elected seven officers to the board of governors and four to serve as alternates for the coming year. Elected were: Lt. Col. Rowland W. Rushmore, USAF, Lt. Col. John G. Hoffman, Jr., Maj. Max Etkin, Maj. John C. Burton, USAF, Lt. Margaret E. Decker, WAF, and Lt. Henry Bloom, USN. Alternates are Maj. William H. Salzillo, Maj. Wayne W. Fort, Capt. William B. Strough, and Lt. James Briley, USAF. Colonel Rushmore, as senior officer, succeeds Maj. Joe E. Heatherly, USAF, as president of the board.

A special committee was appointed to revise the bylaws of the club. Members are Lt. Col. William W. Enkins, USAF; Maj. Wayne W. Fort, Maj. John Lakin, USAF, Capt. Joseph Schwimer, Lt. John P. Welch, USN, and Lt. William J. Williams, USN.

■ **MAXWELL AFB, ALA.** Organization of an Air University Speakers' Bureau to provide speakers on a wide variety of subjects to Air Force and outside audiences is announced by Brig. Gen. Dale O. Smith, Air University Director of Education.

The Bureau is to be administered by the Office of the Air University Secretary which already has on file a sizeable list of speakers.

The plan follows an Air Force-wide program to disseminate information on air power and related subjects. The Bureau will attempt to provide speakers to civilian groups who desire them from the Air University.

All personnel, military and civilian, are being encouraged to speak to civilian audiences on subjects in which they are qualified. Commanders, commandants and directors of Air University agencies are being asked to make qualified speakers available on request when there is no interference with assigned missions.

Air University schools are encouraged to use qualified speakers of the Air University in their guest lecture program.

An Air University letter to all its agencies asked for the conscientious cooperation of all concerned.

Restrict Civ. Representation

The Air Force has announced a policy which will bar active duty personnel from serving as representatives of companies engaged in selling hospitalization insurance to active members of the Air Force.

It was stated that this restriction will be in effect, no matter whether or not any pay is involved.

Lt. Col. Billings Assigned OSA

Lt. Col. Edward R. Billings, formerly assigned to Ordnance Section, OCAFF, left Fort Monroe, Va., on 4 Jan. for his new assignment in the Office of the Assistant Secretary of Army for Materiel.



ROCKY MOUNTAIN ARSENAL, COLO.—Directing activities of the Officers' Wives' Club at Rocky Mountain Arsenal, Denver, are (left to right) Mesdames Sam Ehnoff, Jr., vice president, A. W. Meetze, honorary president, John P. McEvoy, president Edwin A. Limbaugh, treasurer, and John W. Nichols, secretary.

Births • Marriages • Deaths

(No charge for Service announcements. Please notify promptly.)

Born

AHEARN—Born at Cp Polk, La, 12 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Charles E Ahearn, a daughter, Bernadette Ann.

ALIMONTI—Born at Ft Knox, Ky, 20 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Joseph A Alimonti, a son, Stephen Vincent.

ASHCRAFT—Born at Walter Reed AH, Wash, DC, 31 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Derwin Ashcraft, a daughter.

AYLWARD—Born at Ft Riley, Kans, 27 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Carl F Aylward, a son, Lewis Allen.

BABYAK—Born at USMCS, Quantico, Va, 15 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Joseph Babyak, a son.

BAILEY—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 30 Dec, to Lt Col and Mrs John Alexander Bailey, a daughter.

BANKS—Born at Walter Reed AH, Wash, DC, 28 Dec, to CWO and Mrs Earl R Banks, a daughter.

BENNETT—Born at MCB, Cp Lejeune, NC, 21 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Cecil J Bennett, a daughter, Fausta Cecile.

BENSON—Born at Ft Monmouth, NJ, 19 Dec, to Lt Col and Mrs Joseph W Benson, a son.

BENSON—Born at Ft Monmouth, NJ, 12 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Marvin E Benson, a daughter.

BLASSEY—Born at Ft Monmouth, NJ, 10 Dec, to Capt and Mrs Earle L Blassey, a son.

BITTLING—Born at Ft Meade, Md, 26 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Walter H Bittling, a daughter.

BLYTH—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 25 Dec, to Capt and Mrs Rodney Alger Blyth, a son.

BOOGAERTS—Born at Cp Polk, La, 16 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Phillip J Boogaerts, a son, James Roland.

BOSNER—Born at Cp Chaffee, Ark, 16 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Willard J Bosner, a daughter.

BRANIN—Born at USMCS, Quantico, Va, 28 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Willie Branin, a son.

BROERTJES—Born at MCB, Cp Lejeune, NC, 19 Dec, to Lt Col and Mrs Vernon H Broertjes, a son, Harry Charles.

BROOKS—Born at Army-Navy Hosn, Hot Springs, Ark, 22 Dec, to Lt and Mrs Richard Owen Brooks, a son.

BROWN—Born at Ft Knox, Ky, 27 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs John C Brown, a daughter, Catherine Mary.

BRUNS—Born at MCB, Cp Lejeune, NC, 13 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Eugene C Bruns, a daughter, Linda Jean.

BRYANT—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 29 Dec, to Maj and Mrs Oren Wayne Bryant, a son.

CAMPBELL—Born at Barksdale AFB, La, 10 Dec, to Lt Col and Mrs Davis W Campbell, a son, George Lalre.

CARROLL—Born at Walter Reed AH, Wash, DC, 29 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Kelsa A Carroll, a daughter.

CARUSO—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 29 Dec, to Lt and Mrs Anthony Donald Caruso, a daughter.

CASEY—Born at MCB, Cp Lejeune, NC, 10 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Paul J Casey, a daughter, Paula Flora.

CLARK—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 30 Dec, to Capt and Mrs Jack Reeves Clark, a daughter.

CLEARY—Born at Sheppard AFB, Tex, 13 Dec, to Capt and Mrs John E Cleary, a daughter, Brigid Louise.

CLOSS—Born at MCB, Cp Lejeune, NC, 20 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs James T Closs, a daughter, Cathy Darlene.

COLQUITT—Born at MCB, Cp Lejeune, NC, 18 Dec, to Lt and Mrs Hugh S Colquitt, a son, Hugh Stevens, Jr.

CONLON—Born at Sendal AH, Sendal, Japan, 28 Dec, to Lt Col and Mrs William F Conlon, a son, Robert Allan.

COPE—Born at Ft Benning, Ga, 21 Dec, to Capt and Mrs Edward Harrison Cope, a daughter, Ann Elizabeth.

DEBORD—Born at Ft Knox, Ky, 23 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Robert F DeBord, a son, Robert Franklin.

D'HOTELANS—Born at Ft Knox, 17 Dec, to Maj and Mrs Etienne P d'Hotelans, a son, Phillibert Louis.

DOOLEY—Born at St Albans Nav Hosp, NY, 30 Dec, to Capt and Mrs Thomas F Dooley, a son, William Thomas.

DYKSTRA—Born at West Point, NY, 27 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Peter C Dykstra, a daughter, Lena Judith.

ELLIS—Born at West Point, NY, 17 Dec, to Maj and Mrs Vincent H Ellis, a daughter, Melinda Lou.

EMERSON—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 27 Dec, to Capt and Mrs James Warren Emerson, a daughter.

ERKENBECK—Born at Walter Reed AH, Wash, DC, 28 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs James B Erkenbeck, a son.

FARRIS—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala, 20 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Harry W Farris, a son, Harry William, Jr.

FINN—Born at Walter Reed AH, Wash, DC, 23 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs John L Finn, a son.

FITZSIMMONS—Born at Ft Meade, Md, 23 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Edwin J Fitzsimmons, a son.

FLINT—Born at Ft Knox, Ky, 27 Dec, to Capt and Mrs Glenwood W Flint, a son, Frederick Forrest.

FLY—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala, 21 Dec, to Maj and Mrs Hugh G Fly, a son, Greg Thomas.

FRITZ—Born at Ft Dix, NJ, 28 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs William Fritz, a son, William Howard.

GAITHER—Born at Cp Chaffee, Ark, 18 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs George M Gaither, a son.

GILSDORF—Born 18 Dec to 2d Lt and Mrs Norman G Gilsdorf, a son, Norman Lee.

GOODMAN—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 28 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs David Robert Goodman, a son.

GORDON—Born at MCB, Cp Lejeune, NC, 14 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Bascom F Gordon, a son, Bascom Franklin, III.

GRAHAM—Born at Cp Chaffee, Ark, 18 Dec, to Capt and Mrs William R Graham, a daughter.

GREEN—Born at Keesler AFB, Miss, 15 Dec, to A/2c and Mrs William O Green, a daughter, Paula Beth.

GRIESS—Born at Dodge County Community Hosp, Fremont, Neb, 19 Dec, to Maj and Mrs Thomas E Griess, a son, Thomas Everett, Jr.

GUILFOILE—Born at Ft Meade, Md, 19 Dec, to Capt and Mrs Joseph V Guilfoile, a son.

GUNSEL—Born at Ft Knox, Ky, 18 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Robert C Günsel, a daughter, Denise Kathleen.

GUNTHER—Born at Letterman AH, Cal, 24 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Robert P Gunthorp, a daughter, Anne.

HAGARTY—Born at MCB, Cp Lejeune, NC, 20 Dec, to Capt and Mrs Patrick J Hagarty, a daughter, Marlon Kay.

HAMILTON—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala, 27 Dec, to Maj and Mrs Julian W Hamilton, a son, Julian Wyatt, Jr.

HAMILTON—Born at Ft Knox, Ky, 17 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Thomas M Hamilton, a daughter, Margaret Vance.

HARRIS—Born at Walter Reed AH, Wash, DC, 3 Jan, to 1st Lt and Mrs William A Harris, a daughter.

HARTGES—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 28 Dec, to Maj and Mrs Nick F Hartges, a son.

HARTNOTT—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 24 Dec, to Maj and Mrs Bernard Francis Hartnott, a daughter.

HAYES—Born at MCB, Cp Lejeune, NC, 20 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Charles M Hayes, a daughter, Lois Beulah.

HENRY—Born at Ryukyus AH, Okinawa, 16 Dec, to Capt and Mrs Truman Knapp Henry, a son, Alan Ridgeway.

HILL—Born at Walter Reed AH, Wash, DC, 1 Jan, to 1st Lt and Mrs Josephus L Hill, a son.

HOLLOWAY—Born at MCAB, Cherry Point, NC, 18 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Thomas J Holloway, a daughter, Barbara Ann.

HOLMES—Born at MCB, Cp Lejeune, NC, 17 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Robert F Holmes, a son, Robert Craig.

HOLT—Born at Ft Knox, Ky, 17 Dec, to Capt and Mrs Lawrence E Holt, a son, Gregory Herbert.

HUGHES—Born at Ft Monmouth, NJ, 28 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Charles M Hughes, a son.

JACK—Born at Ft Monmouth, NJ, 15 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Robert W Jack, a son.

JENKINS—Born at Ft Monroe AH, Va, 21 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Kenneth G Jenkins, a daughter, Linda Jean, their first child.

JOHNSON—Born at Walter Reed AH, Wash, DC, 30 Dec, to Capt and Mrs Lester D Johnson, a son.

JONES—Born at Walter Reed AH, Wash, DC, 22 Dec, to Maj and Mrs Russell J Jones, a daughter.

JULIUSSEN—Born at Ryukyus AH, Okinawa, 24 Dec, to Lt and Mrs Lauritz M Juliusen, a daughter, Debra Ann.

KENNEDY—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 29 Dec, to Maj and Mrs Robert Michael Kennedy, a daughter.

KLOMAN—Born at Rodriguez AH, Puerto Rico, 22 Dec, to Capt and Mrs Curt C Kroman, a son, Curt Steven.

KNIGHT—Born at USMCS, Quantico, Va, 22 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs William Knight, a daughter.

KUSHNER—Born at Cp Chaffee, Ark, 17 Dec, to Maj and Mrs Joseph P Kushner, a daughter.

LANG—Born at Ft Knox, Ky, 23 Dec, to Capt and Mrs Vincent W Lang, a daughter, Kathleen.

LARSON—Born at Scott AFB, Ill, 2 Jan, to 1st Lt and Mrs Philip A Larson, a daughter, Teresa Anne.

LEAVEY—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 27 Dec, to Lt Col and Mrs Edmond Harrison Leavey, Jr, a daughter.

LEE—Born at Ft Leavenworth, Kans, 17 Dec, to Capt and Mrs Claude F Lee, a daughter, Laura Ann.

LEISNER—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 27 Dec, to Lt and Mrs Herbert William Leisner, a son.

LINDEMAN—Born at MCB, Cp Lejeune, NC, 21 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs William E Lindeman, a daughter, Susan Marie Lucille.

LODGE—Born at Ft Dix, NJ, 27 Dec, to CWO and Mrs Clinton Lodge, a daughter, Mary Virginia.

LOVING—Born at USMCS, Quantico, Va, 21 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Robert Loving, a daughter.

LOWE—Born at Ft Monmouth, NJ, 16 Dec, to Capt and Mrs Raymond C Lowe, a daughter.

MABRY—Born at Cp Polk, La, 23 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs James C Mabry, a daughter, Paula Gay.

MARCH—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala, 30 Dec, to Capt and Mrs George M March, a son.

MARSHALL—Born at Cp Polk, La, 12 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Edward A Marshall, a daughter, Martha Leanna.

MATHESON—Born at USMCS, Quantico, Va, 23 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs John Matheson, a son.

MAY—Born at MCB, Cp Lejeune, NC, 12 Dec, to Capt and Mrs William L May, Jr, a son, James Legard.

MAYS—Born at USNTC, Bainbridge, Md, 21 Dec, to Ens and Mrs J G Mays, a daughter, Denise Anne.

McCLURE—Born at Good Samaritan Hosp, Dayton, Ohio, 26 Dec, to Lt Col and Mrs John C McClure, a daughter, Barbara Anne.

McDANIEL—Born at USMCS, Quantico, Va, 18 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Gary McDaniel, a daughter.

McDANIEL—Born at Ft Benning AH, Ga, 3 Dec, to Capt and Mrs R L McDaniel, twin sons, Nathan Bedford Forrest and James Ewell Brown.

McGEACHY—Born at Barksdale AFB, La, 13 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Lauchlin M McGeachy, a son, Thomas Cameron.

MEEHAN—Born at Walter Reed AH, Wash, 24 Dec, to Maj and Mrs Walter Meehan, a son.

MERRILL—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 28 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs James Alfred Merrill, a daughter.

MORAN—Born at Ft Knox, Ky, 29 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Calvin W Moran, a son, Jeffrey Wayne.

MOUNCE—Born at Ryukyus AH, Okinawa, 19 Dec, to Lt and Mrs Mac D Mounce, a son, Jeffrey David.

NEEDHAM—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 28 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs William Richard Needham, a son.

NIELSEN—Born at Cp Polk, La, 13 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Walter N Nielsen, a daughter, Lynda Ann.

NOWAK—Born at Selfridge AFB, Mich, 15 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Frank S Nowak, a daughter, Susan Gaye.

OAKES—Born at Barksdale AFB, La, 19 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Roy Oakes, a son, John Franklin.

O'BRIEN—Born at West Point, NY, 23 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Robert T O'Brien, a daughter, Joanne Susan.

OCKENDEN—Born at West Point, NY, 21 Dec, to Maj and Mrs Gordon F Ockenden, a son, Monty Robert.

O'CONNOR—Born at MCB, Cp Lejeune, NC, 19 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Thomas V O'Connor, a daughter, Susan Joan.

O'HARA—Born at West Point, NY, 25 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Donald F O'Hara, a daughter, Shawn Marie.

OLNEY—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala, 1 Jan, to Maj and Mrs George W Olney, a daughter.

OSAK—Born at Great Falls AFB, Mont, 14 Dec, to Capt and Mrs Joseph S Osak, a daughter, Lynette.

OWENS—Born at Elmendorf AFB, Alaska, 22 Dec, to Col and Mrs Marcus O Owens, Jr, a son, Daniel Crosby.

OWINGS—Born at Walter Reed AH, Wash, DC, 22 Dec, to Capt and Mrs James B Owings, a daughter.

PAGAN—Born at Rodriguez AH, Puerto Rico, 21 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Alberto Pagan, a son, Jose Alberto.

PALFREY—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 28 Dec, to Lt Col and Mrs Campbell Palfrey, a daughter.

PARKER—Born at USMCS, Quantico, Va, 23 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs James Parker, a daughter.

PARLAS—Born at Ft Dix, NJ, 23 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Joseph Parlas, a daughter, Judith Anne.

PAULUS—Born at Walter Reed AH, Wash, DC, 23 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Chester Paulus, a son.

PETERSEN—Born at USAH, Ft Benning, Ga, 19 Dec, to Capt and Mrs Robert J Petersen, a son, Robert James.

PETERSON—Born at Great Falls AFB, Mont, 18 Dec, to Capt and Mrs Robert R Peterson, a son, Robert Murray.

PLATT—Born at USMCS, Quantico, Va, 16 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Charles Platt, a son.

POBLETT—Born at Ft Knox, Ky, 18 Dec, to Capt and Mrs Garland Poblotts, a daughter, Susan Marie.

PRIGGINS—Born at Walter Reed AH, Wash, DC, 29 Dec, to Maj and Mrs John C Priggins, a daughter.

PUCHRIK—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 30 Dec, to Capt and Mrs Augustine Stephen Puchrik, a daughter.

RICHARDSON—Born at Ft Meade, Md, 27 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Donald F Richardson, a daughter.

RICK—Born at Cp Chaffee, Ark, 18 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Bud W Rick, a daughter.

ROACH—Born at Greenville AFB, Miss, 21 Dec, to A/2c and Mrs Kenneth J Roach, a son, Kenneth Dean.

ROSA—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala, 27 Dec, to Maj and Mrs Joseph J Rosa, a daughter, Dorothy Katherine.

ROSSELL—Born at MCAB, Cherry Point, NC, 17 Dec, to Lt and Mrs C E Rossell, a daughter, Susan Elizabeth.

ROYER—Born at West Point, NY, 27 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Clarence E Royer, a son, Alan.

SALERA—Born at Walter Reed AH, Wash, DC, 23 Dec, to Lt Col and Mrs Dante Salera, a daughter.

SCHUHMANN—Born at USMCS, Quantico, Va, 17 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Donald Schuhmann, a daughter.

SCOTT—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala, 23 Dec, to Lt Col and Mrs John J Scott, a daughter, Elizabeth Anne.

SELL—Born at Ft Knox, Ky, 18 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs John A Sell, a son, John Gregory.

SENKBEIL—Born at Barksdale AFB, La, 12 Dec, to Capt and Mrs Edwin A Senkbeil, a daughter, Deborah Ann.

SHOEMAKER—Born at Portsmouth Naval Hosp, Portsmouth, Va, 29 Dec, to Lt Col and Mrs R L Shoemaker, Jr, a daughter, Lisa Brooke, granddaughter of Col R L Shoemaker, USA-Ret, dean of students at Indiana Univ, and Mrs Shoemaker, of Mrs L R Cole of Wash, DC, and the late Col Cole, USA.

SIBLEY—Born at Walter Reed AH, Wash, DC, 29 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Nathan C Sibley, a son.

SILBERSTINE—Born at USNTC, Bainbridge, Md, 23 Dec, to Lt and Mrs Victor Silberstine, a son, Jeffery Scott.

SIMMONS—Born at Ft Knox, Ky, 23 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs John B Simmons, a son, Sullivan Bernard.

SIRRIDGE—Born at Ft Riley, Kans, 30 Dec, to Capt and Mrs William T Sirridge, a daughter.

SLEZAK—Born at Ft Riley, Kans, 30 Dec, to Maj and Mrs William E Slezak, a daughter, Sheri.

SPLAWN—Born at MCB, Cp Lejeune, NC, 17 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Grover R Splawn, a son, Raymond Roland.

STAPLES—Born at USMCS, Quantico, Va, 15 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Ernest Staples, a son.

STEPHENS—Born at Ft Knox, Ky, 19 Dec, to Capt and Mrs William L Stephens, a daughter, Wendy Rae.

STERLING—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 26 Dec, to Capt and Mrs John Ember Sterling, a son.

STEWART—Born at USMCS, Quantico, Va, 19 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Robert W Stewart, a son.

TAYLOR—Born at Ft Knox, Ky, 26 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Hyrum Taylor, a son, Gary Michael.

THOMPSON—Born at Ft Knox, Ky, 29 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Rodney J Thompson, a son, Robert Waller.

TIDWELL—Born at Ryukyus AH, Okinawa, 19 Dec, to Lt and Mrs Blaine R Tidwell, a son, Douglas Kirt.

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TINSLEY—Born at MCB, Cp Lejeune, NC, 11 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Henry G Tinsley, jr, a daughter, Terry Lynn.

TOMLINSON—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 30 Dec, to Capt and Mrs William Warren Tomlinson, a son.

TRAYER—Born at Ft Monmouth, NJ, 20 Dec, to Capt and Mrs Wallace H Trayer, jr, a son.

TRUDEL—Born at Ft Monmouth, NJ, 20 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Bernard J Trudell, a son.

VELIE—Born at Ft Monmouth, NJ, 10 Dec, to Capt and Mrs Earl R Velie, a daughter.

WALKER—Born at Ft Riley, Kans, 31 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Paul D Walker, a son, David Eugene.

WASHINGTON—Born at Cp Chaffee, Ark, 25 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Leroy T Washington, a son.

WEDEMAYER—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 30 Dec, to Capt and Mrs Albert Dunbar Wedemeyer, a son.

WEST—Born at West Point, NY, 15 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Charles R West, a son, Charles Richard, jr.

WHEELER—Born at Ft Benning, Ga, 23 Dec, to Maj and Mrs James H Wheeler, a son, John Albert.

WHITTINGTON—Born at West Point, NY, 26 Dec, to Capt and Mrs Jere O Whittington, a daughter, Anne Curry.

WILDER—Born at Walter Reed AH, Wash, DC, 30 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Stuart F Wilder, a daughter.

WIRICK—Born at Ft Knox, Ky, 26 Dec, to 2d Lt and Mrs Carl L Wirick, a daughter, Jeanette Susan.

WISEMAN—Born at Ft Meade, Md, 20 Dec, to 1st Lt and Mrs Richard Wiseman, a daughter.

WOLF—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 29 Dec, to Maj and Mrs Karl Everett Wolf, a son.

WRIGHT—Born at Ft Riley, Kans, 24 Dec, to WOJG and Mrs Albert J Wright, a daughter, Marilyn Patricia.

YOUNG—Born at Ft Dix, NJ, 24 Dec, to Capt and Mrs Claude Young, a son, Robert Earl.

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BALKE-STOEHR—Married at Terrace Park, Ohio, 25 Dec, Miss Martha Mundy Stoehr, daughter of Mrs Edgar Poe Mundy, to Col Frank Troutman Balke, USA.

CADY-WELLER—Married at the Presbyterian Church, Newport, RI, 21 Dec, Miss Helen Gertrude Weller, daughter of Mr and Mrs Walter Lionel Weller, to Lt Foster Bernard Cady, jr, USA, son of Mr and Mrs Cady of Middletown, NY.

CLEVELAND-SELLWOOD—Married at New Cannan, Conn, 30 Dec, Miss Carter Elaine Sellwood, daughter of Mr and Mrs Richard Matthews Sellwood, jr, to Lt Paul Mathews Cleveland, USAF, son of Mrs Paul Cleveland and the late Col Cleveland of Wash.

COHEN-APPLEY—Married in the Glen Ridge Congregational Church, Glen Ridge, NJ, 2 Jan, Miss Ruth Ann Appley, daughter of Mr and Mrs Lawrence Asa Appley of Glen Ridge, to Lt (jg) Albert Gleeves Cohen, USN, son of Mr and Mrs Albert Morris Cohen of Wynwood, Pa.

COLLINS-DILLON—Married in Church of the Heavenly Rest, NYC, 29 Dec, Miss Phyllis Ellsworth Dillon, daughter of the American Ambassador to France Mr C Douglas Dillon and Mrs Dillon of NY and Far Hills, NJ, to Lt Mark McCampbell Collins, USMCR, son of Mr and Mrs Francis Collins of Cleveland and Dennis, Mass.

COULTER-STEVENS—Married in the Reformed Church, Bronxville, NY, 2 Jan, Miss Patricia Louise Stevens, daughter of Mr and Mrs James A Stevens, to Lt James Craven Coulter, USAF, son of Mr and Mrs Craven H Coulter of Clinton and Manomet, Mass.

CROUSE-HUGHES—Married in Ascension Episcopal Church, Westminster, Md, 27 Dec, Miss Jane Ann Hughes, daughter of Mr and Mrs Thomas H Hughes to Lt Richard Crouse, USMC, son of Mr Daniel Crouse of Bolsevain, Va, and the late Mrs Crouse.

DRAYTON-LUDINGTON—Married in Bryn Mawr Presbyterian Church, 29 Dec, Miss Constance Cameron Ludington, daughter of Mr and Mrs Charles Townsend Ludington of Old Lyme, Conn, to Lt Richard Drayton, USAF, son of Mrs William W Battles of Echo Valley Farm, and the late John Welsh Drayton.

ELDERING-ROCHEFORT—Married in the St Cross Episcopal Church, Hermosa Beach, Cal, 19 Dec, Miss Janet Fay Rochefort, daughter of Capt and Mrs Joseph J Rochefort, USN, to Mr Charles Ernest Eltering, jr, son of Mr and Mrs Eltering.

GRUBBS-GRIDLEY—Married in the Mayflower Congregational Church, Detroit, 26 Dec, Miss Lyn Gridley, daughter of Mr and Mrs N Donald Gridley of Detroit, to 2d Lt Hayden Young Grubbs, jr, USAF, son of Col and Mrs H Y Grubbs, now at Richmond, Ky.

HARTNELL-McCUNIFF—Married in the Catholic Chapel at Ft Benning, Ga, 21 Dec, Miss Nancy McCuniff, daughter of Brig Gen Dennis E McCuniff, USA-Ret, and Mrs McCuniff to Capt George William Hartnell, jr, son of Col and Mrs William R Grove of Laurel, Fla.

HOPKINS-SPENCE—Married at the All Souls Unitarian Church, Wash, DC, 26 Dec, Miss Mary Spence, daughter of Mrs Henry George Spence of Menard, Tex, and Wash, DC, to Lt Comdr Bushrod Washington Hopkins of Brinklow, Md.

HOVERMALE-DOVER—Married in the Anacostia Methodist Church, Wash, DC, 28 Dec, Miss Rita Dover, daughter of Mr and Mrs Herbert Kenneth Dover, to 2d Lt Howard Wilson Hovermale, USAF, son of Mrs Howard Burman Hovermale and the late Mr Hovermale.

HULL-HARRIS—Married in Immanuel Church of the Hill, Alexandria, Va, 1 Jan, Mrs Jeanne Harris, daughter of Capt James B Glennon, USN-Ret, and Mrs Glennon, to Col Harris B Hull, USAF, son of Mrs Harry Edward Hull of Wash, DC, and the late Mr Hull.

LAMBERT-FIRESTONE—Married at Hastings on Hudson, NY, 1 Jan, Mrs Jean Morrison Firestone, daughter of Mr and Mrs Owen E Morrison of Akron, Ohio, to Dr H James Lambert, jr, son of Colonel Lambert, USA, and Mrs Lambert of Atlanta, Ga.

LINDSTROM-BRENNAN—Married at the Henry Barracks Post Chapel, 26 Dec, Miss Elizabeth Ann Brennan, daughter of Mr and Mrs Dan F Vickers of Park Falls, Wisc, to Lt Lewis I Lindstrom, son of Mr and Mrs William Lindstrom of Talent, Ore.

MARSH-HEWITT—Married in St James Protestant Episcopal Church, NY, 30 Dec, Miss Helen Caroline Hewitt, daughter of Dr and Mrs Charles C Hewitt of NY and Minneapolis, to Lt John B Marsh, jr, USAF, son of Mr and Mrs Marsh of NY and Oyster Bay, LI.

McCAULEY-YEOMANS—Married in the Roman Catholic Church of Sts John and Paul in Larchmont, NY, 2 Jan, Miss Phyllis Anne Yeomans, daughter of Mr and Mrs John D Yeomans of Larchmont, NY, to Lt Richard Peter McCauley, USAF, son of Mr and Mrs Raymond F McCauley of New York City.

MERSEREAU-WILLIAMS—Married at All Saints Episcopal Church, Wash, DC, 28 Dec, Miss Shirley Ann Williams, daughter of Mr and Mrs Paul Hubert Williams of Bethesda, Md, to Lt James Gill Mersereau, son of Mr and Mrs James Fry Mersereau of Wash, DC.

MITCHELL-KANE—Married in the Church of the Nativity, Wash, DC, 29 Dec, Miss Bernadette Mary Kane, daughter of Mr and Mrs William A Kane of Wash, to Lt Robert Joseph Mitchell, USAF, son of Mrs Walter A Mitchell of Wash and the late Mr Mitchell.

NALAN-ANDREWS—Married in the Cathedral Church of St Mark, Minneapolis, Minn, 30 Dec, Miss Katherine Modisette Andrews, daughter of Mr and Mrs Sewall J Andrews, jr, of Wayzata, Minn, to Lt (jg) Craig Anthony Nalan, USN, son of Mr and Mrs Paul A Nalan of Glen Ridge, NJ.

NOREEN-PRESSEY—Married in the Post Chapel, Presidio of San Francisco, Cal, 19 Dec, Miss Sarah Joanne Pressey, daughter of Lt Col (Chap) and Mrs Herbert Pressey of San Mateo, Cal, to Capt Albert T Noreen, jr, son of Mrs Ethel Noreen of Wash, DC.

PALMER-ARNETT—Married in Christ Protestant Episcopal Church, Bordentown, NJ, 3 Jan, Miss Janice Arnett, daughter of Mr and Mrs George W Arnett of Yardley, Pa, to Ens Richard Q Palmer, USN.

PODESTA-CONANT—Married in Pelham Manor, NY, 2 Jan, Miss Carol Louise Conant, daughter of Mr and Mrs Richard Royce Conant of Pelham, to Capt Aldo Clement Podesta, USAF, son of Mr and Mrs John A Podesta of NY.

SEDNAUL-RUSSELL—Married in St Andrew's Cathedral, Pearl Harbor, TH, 9 Dec, Miss Anne Carter Russell, daughter of Rear Adm and Mrs George Lucius Russell, to Mr Michael Choukri Sednaul, son of Mr and Mrs Choukri Sednaul, of New York City.

VEIT-GLEIM—Married at the Grace Episcopal Church, Silver Spring, Md, 1 Jan, Miss Betty Virginia Gleim, daughter of Capt Fritz Gleim, USN, and Mrs Gleim, to Harold Robert Veit, jr, son of Mr and Mrs Harold Robert Veit of Philadelphia.

WHITEHEAD-MERRILL—Married at St Clement's Roman Catholic Church, Chicago, 31 Dec, Miss Patricia Watts Merrill, daughter of Mrs H Trenholm Merrill of NY and Col Edgerton Merrill of Wash, DC, to Mr Thomas Francis Whitehead, son of Mrs Thomas F Whitehead of Chicago and the late Mr Whitehead.

WHITEHURST-THOMPSON—Married in St Luke's Lutheran Church, Silver Spring, Md, 2 Jan, Miss Julia Ruth Thompson, daughter of Mrs Bernard Mayer of Silver Spring, to Lt (jg) Marshall N Whitehurst, jr, USN, son of Mr and Mrs Whitehurst, also of Silver Spring.

YALE-COLBERT—Married in Grace Episcopal Church, Alexandria, Va, 29 Dec, Miss Mary Jacquelin Colbert, daughter of Mr and Mrs Ernest S Colbert of Arlington, Va, to Lt John W Yale, USAF, son of Col and Mrs W W Yale, now in Trieste.

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BARNES—Died in Walter Reed Hospital, Wash, DC, 2 Jan, Lt Col William D Barnes. Surviving are his wife, Mrs Elizabeth Barnes of Biloxi, Miss, and two daughters, Mrs Rod Francis of Chevy Chase, Md, and Mrs William A Weeks, of NY City. Burial will be in Arlington National Cemetery, Va.

BARNETT—Died in Korea, 21 Dec, Capt Howard J Barnett.

BELCH—Died at the Naval Hosp, Annapolis, Md, 3 Jan, Capt Keith R Belch, USN-Ret. He is survived by his widow, two sons, three sisters and a brother.

BRADSHAW—Died at Matamoras, Pa, 6 Dec, Capt Walter J Bradshaw, USA-Ret.

BROWN—Killed in a plane crash, 6 Jan, 2d Lt Warren B Brown, son of Col Walter B Brown, USA-Ret and Mrs Brown.

BUCHMANN—Died in Detroit, Mich, 18 Dec, Capt Earl W Buchmann, sr.

DEL-MONTE—Died in Germany, 21 Dec, 2d Lt Raphael Del-Monte.

FLEMING—Was killed in an automobile accident, 30 Dec, Col Hamilton Maxwell H Fleming, USMC-Ret.

FOLEY—Died at Alexian Brothers Hosp, Elizabeth, NJ, 4 Jan, Capt William K Foley. Surviving are his five daughters, a son, and a brother.

FORD—Died at Sarasota, Fla, 29 Dec, Col Clyde S Ford.

HATCHER—Died Durham, NC, 5 Jan, Col James Lindley Hatcher. He is survived by his wife, Sara Jane Bell; two brothers, Maj Gen Julian S Hatcher, USA-Ret, of Falls Church, Va, and Mr Richard F Hatcher of Montgomery, Ala; and two sisters, Miss Margery S Hatcher of Wash, DC, and Mrs Ralph H Byrd of Indianapolis, Ind.

HUTTO—Died near Mobile, Ala, 26 Dec, Lt James Foy Hutto, USN. He is survived by his wife, Mrs Elizabeth Hutto, of Jacksonville, Fla. Burial was at Andalusia, Ala.

MILES—Was killed in an automobile collision, 2 Jan, Lt (jg) William Beall Miles, son of Rear Adm Milton E Miles of Chevy Chase, Md. Burial was at Arlington Cemetery, Arlington, Va.

MORSE—Died in White Plains, NY, 2 Jan, Mrs Jessie Cable Morse, widow of Brig Gen Benjamin C Morse. She is survived by two sons, John Cable Morse of Sumner, Md, Benjamin C Morse, jr, of Columbus, Ohio, and two daughters, Mrs Harriett Keith of White Plains, and Mrs Jessie Raymond of Palos Verdes, Cal. Funeral was at Arlington National Cemetery, Arlington, Va.

NEILL—Died in Baker, Ore, 20 Dec, 2d Lt Albert Neill.

NEUSTEIN—Died at Scott AFB Hosp, Ill, 28 Dec, Capt Dudley H Neustein, USA, of New York. He is survived by his wife, Mrs Bernice Neustein and his son.

PENNELL—Died in Lawton, Okla, 25 Dec, Margaret Pennell, youngest daughter of Maj Gen Ralph McTyre Pennell and Mrs Pennell.

PERRINE—Died in Phoenixville, Pa, 20 Dec, Brig Gen Henry P Perrine.

PETTAY—Died at Walter Reed AH, Wash, DC, 31 Dec, Lt Col John D Pettay. Burial was in Wolfe City, Tex.

PINTO—Died in Korea, 29 Dec, 1st Lt Rene Pinto, NG.

QUIGLEY—Died in San Francisco, Cal, 18 Dec, Col Charles C Quigley.

RICKS—Died in Walter Reed AH, Wash, DC, 4 Jan, Maj Gen Earl T Ricks. Surviving are his wife, Mrs Earl T Ricks; one son, Earl; and three daughters, Nancy, Shannon, and Sarah Gayle, all of Washington, DC.

SNYDER—Died in Nashville, Tenn, 4 Jan, Lt Col Oliver F Snyder, USA-Ret. He is survived by his wife, Eleanor Snyder; a daughter, Mrs Margaret S Darby of Wash; five grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. Burial was in Arlington National Cemetery, Arlington, Va.

STEPHENS—Died in Edmonds, Wash, 29 Dec, Maj James E Stephens.

TOWNSLEY—Died in San Francisco, Calif, Lt Col Robert E Townsley.

WESTPHELING—Died in Colorado Springs, Colo, 26 Dec, Mr Charles Westpheling. He is survived by a daughter, Mrs Arthur W Blair, widow of the late Lt Col A W Blair, and a son, Col Charles P Westpheling, now in Ankara, Turkey and four grandchildren. Interment was at Evergreen Cemetery in Colorado Springs.

WHEELLOCK—Died in Joliet, Ill, 31 Dec, Lt Col Kenneth M Wheelock. He is survived by his wife, Mrs Hope Wheelock; three daughters, Mrs William W Chandler, Killeen,

Tex, Mrs K H Vehrs, Joliet, and Mrs L L Wiley, Alexandria, Va; and five grandchildren. Burial was in Arlington National Cemetery, Va.

WILSON—Died in Port Isabel, Tex, 5 Dec, Col Arthur H Wilson, USA-Ret.

WINSLOW—Died in Millbrook, NY, 4 Jan, Col John W S Winslow, USA-Ret. He is survived by his wife, Mrs Elsie Louise Winslow.

WORKIZER—Died at St Anthony's Hosp, St Petersburg, Fla, 21 Dec, Mrs Hettie Frances Marion Workizer, widow of the late Maj John Girardin Workizer. Surviving are two daughters, Miss Mary Workizer, and Mrs Frederick C Bailey; three sons, James G Workizer, of St Petersburg, Lt Col Benjamin T Workizer, USA-Ret of Augusta, Ga, and Col Daniel T Workizer, USA-Ret of Sarasota, Fla; a sister, Miss Ethel Turner; a brother, Capt F E J Turner; and eight grandchildren.

Obituaries

Col. F. F. Black, USA-Ret.

Col. Frederick F. Black, USA-Ret., died 22 Dec. 1953 in Belfast, Me.

A 1902 graduate of West Point, Colonel Black served on active duty in the Army until 1940 when, as Officer in Charge of Civilian Affairs, 1st Corps Area, Boston, Mass., he retired from service at the age of 64.

Colonel Black was born in Searsport, Me., in 1876, and attended the University of Maine where he was graduated in 1896. Prior to WW I, he served in various capacities in this country, Alaska, the Philippine Islands and Cuba. During WW I, he served as Inspector, 29th Div. in France, after attending Staff School at Longre, France. After a tour of duty with the Army of Occupation in Germany, he returned to this country and attended the Infantry School, Ft. Benning, Ga. From 1936 to 1940, he was Commander of the 6th Infantry and Harbor Defenses, Ft. Williams, Me. Since his retirement, he lived in Searsport.

Charles Westpheling

Word has been received of the death of Mr. Charles Westpheling on 26 Dec. 1953 in Colorado Springs, Colo. He had many friends throughout the Army, who knew him affectionately as "Pop."

He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Arthur W. Blair, widow of Lt. Col. A. W. Blair (USMA '32), and a son, Col. Charles P. Westpheling (USMA '31), now stationed in Ankara, Turkey, and four grandchildren, Susan Blair, Todd, Ernest and Jane Westpheling. Interment was at Evergreen Cemetery in Colorado Springs.

Capt. Robert E. Hoyt, MC, USN-Ret.

Capt. Robert Eustis Hoyt, Medical Corps, USN-Ret., died 19 Dec. 1953, at the Naval Hospital, National Naval Medical Center, Bethesda, Md. He was 74.

Born in Portsmouth, N. H., 26 Nov. 1879, Captain Hoyt was graduated from Harvard University Medical School in 1901. The following year he was appointed an Assistant Surgeon with the relative rank of Lieutenant (jg), Medical Corps, USN. He was promoted to Captain, MC, USN, in December 1921.

During his more than 44 years of Naval service, Captain Hoyt commanded the Naval Hospitals, Canacao, Philippine Islands; Portsmouth, New Hampshire; Washington, D. C.; Bethesda, Md.; and Annapolis, Md. He also commanded the Naval Medical Supply Depot, Mare Island, California, and the Naval Dispensary, Navy Department, Washington, D. C. He was District Medical Officer of the Twelfth Naval District, San Francisco, California, and the Fourteenth Naval District, Pearl Harbor, T. H., during the years 1934-1937.

Captain Hoyt served in the United States Ships Wabash, Texas, Newark, Chattanooga, Buffalo, Franklin, Michigan, Massachusetts, Idaho, Wisconsin, Minnesota and the hospital ship, USS Mercy, as well as ashore at many Naval medical facilities throughout the world.

Captain Hoyt was placed on the Retired List of Officers of the Navy on 1 Jan. 1943, and immediately recalled to active duty. He was released to inactive duty on 2 Feb. 1947.

Captain Hoyt is survived by his widow, Mrs. Lucille E. Hoyt, 2715 Ordway Street, N.W., Washington, D. C. Interment was in Arlington National Cemetery on 22 Dec. 1953.

Col. James L. Hatcher, USA-Ret.

Col. James Lindley Hatcher, 60, USA-Ret., died in a hospital at Durham, N. C., 5 Jan., after an illness of several months duration.

He was educated at the Virginia Polytechnic Institute, and was appointed Second Lieutenant in the Coast Artillery 1 Dec. 1916. He served with distinction in WWI as major in the 65th Artillery in France. After his return from the war he transferred to the Ordnance

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Department. Desiring to specialize in Aircraft Armament, he served a detail in the Air Corps, and was graduated from the Air Corps Primary School in 1925. For several years he was head of the armament section at Dayton, Ohio.

During the early part of the second World War, he was stationed in London as Assistant Military Attache.

He was retired after 30 years service on 31 Dec. 1946 while stationed at Springfield Armory.

Colonel Hatcher is survived by his widow, Sara Jane Bell, and by two brothers, Maj. Gen. Julian S. Hatcher, USA-Ret., of Falls Church, Va., and Mr. Richard F. Hatcher, of Montgomery, Ala.; also by two sisters, Miss Margery S. Hatcher, Headmistress of The Kalamazoo Day School, of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Ralph H. Byrd, of Indianapolis, Ind.

Col. Clyde S. Ford, USA-Ret.

Col. Clyde S. Ford, USA-Ret., died recently in his home at 1700 Cunliffe Lane, Sarasota, Fla. Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Lucy Ford, and a sister, Mrs. W. W. King of Petoskey, Mich. Funeral services were held in Wheeling, W. Va.

Colonel Ford was a veteran of the Spanish-American War, the Balkan Wars and World War I. He spent most of his army medical career in posts in foreign lands, winning decorations from the Turkish, Bulgarian, French, Czarist Russian and Chinese governments.

He was educated at Ohio Wesleyan and Columbia Universities, and entered the regular army in 1898, after a period of volunteer service in Cuba during the Spanish-American War.

In his early career, during the Balkan Wars, prior to World War I, he set up hospitals in Turkey and Bulgaria with the help of the American Red Cross and the American embassy in Constantinople and was decorated by the Sultan of Turkey, and later by the King of Bulgaria for his services.

During World War I he served in England and France, and after the armistice, he was assigned to duty with the Near East relief. Later he was assigned to the White Russian Army in Crimea as part of an American Military Mission.

After his retirement he served as U. S. Postal Agent in Shanghai, and in 1925 went to Florida to make his home.

Lt. Theodore R. Marvin, MC, USNR

Lt. Theodore Richard Marvin, MC, USNR, died on 30 Dec. 1953 of injuries sustained in an automobile accident which occurred near Atsugi, Japan. He was 37.

Born at Jefferson, Ohio, 21 Nov. 1916, Lieutenant Marvin was graduated from Jefferson High School in May, 1934. He received his Bachelor of Arts degree in Pre-Medical Sciences from De Pauw University, and his degree of Doctor of Medicine from the Ohio State University College of Medicine. His medical internship was served at the Naval Hospital, New Orleans, La., and the Southern Baptist Hospital there.

Initially appointed an Ensign, USNR, in 1942 Lieutenant Marvin resigned this commission in May, 1943, to participate in the Navy's V-12 Medical Training Program. Upon his graduation from Ohio State University in December, 1943, he was appointed a Lieutenant JG, Medical Corps, USN. He was appointed a Lieutenant, JG, Medical Corps, USNR, in 1944, and promoted to Lieutenant, MC, USNR, in 1946.

During World War II he served in the Pacific in the USS LST 711; at Fleet Hospital #111 and Naval Base Hospital #18; and with Escort Division 7. He was released to inactive duty in June, 1946, and recalled to active duty in January, 1953.

Upon recall, he was ordered to the Naval School of Aviation Medicine, Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Florida. Designated a Naval Flight Surgeon upon completion of this course in June, 1953, he was ordered to the Marine Corps Air Station, Cherry Point, N. C., where he was serving with Marine Air Group II at the time of his death.

Lieutenant Marvin is survived by his wife, Mrs. Kathleen E. Marvin, 2075 Sunnyside Lane, Sarasota, Fla.

Col. Fuller 18th AF DCS

Appointment of Col. Harold L. Fuller as Deputy Chief of Staff, Personnel, for the Eighteenth Air Force is announced by Maj. Gen. Robert W. Douglass, Jr., Eighteenth Air Force Commander. Colonel Fuller replaces Col. Owen G. Birtwistle, who was transferred to the 465th Troop Carrier Wing, Mitchell AFB, N. Y.

Colonel Fuller recently returned from Korea where he served as Director of Personnel for the Fifth Air Force from January 1953 to December 1953.

Insurance Men Plan Code of Ethics To Rule Solicitation on Service Posts

Charles D. Dunne, former civilian aide to Robert T. Stevens, Secretary of the Army, has been appointed Commissioner of the Insurance Standards Convention, a trade organization established to adopt a code of ethics to be subscribed to by all agents who write insurance on military posts.

Dunne will have broad powers in representing the insurance industry in "untangling the knotty" problems of writing insurance on military posts. The organization, though just recently established, is subscribed to by all major companies that write military insurance.

Friction between base commanders and insurance agencies has increased steadily since WWII because of the injection of hidden war clauses in policies by some companies; duping military personnel into the writing of annuity rather than life policies which had little, if any, life insurance value; and the increasing stringency of military regulations concerning the activities of insurance agents and resultant infringement of such regula-

tions by agents through unauthorized solicitation.

Dunne said he would establish a uniform code of ethics which would carry a penalty clause if violated by a member company. He also planned to eliminate "in so far as possible" insertion of war clauses, and to make a determined effort to give all servicemen an opportunity to choose an insurance policy commensurate with their needs.

Admitting that some base commanders have found it necessary to curtail the activities of certain unscrupulous agents, Mr. Dunne nevertheless said that this "still does not excuse a commander who is guilty of favoritism or who has put in such harsh rules of conduct that they make the writing of insurance protection on their installation practically impossible."

He said that "many of the military commanders probably had a moral right to such rigid control over insurance agents," but that "legitimate companies that want to conduct their business fairly should not be penalized unjustly."

Gen. Stephens Leaves Knox

Maj. Gen. Richard W. Stephens recently ended more than a year's command of the 3d Armored Division at Ft. Knox, Ky., when he left for an assignment at Camp Rucker, Ala., to succeed Maj. Gen. Robert L. Dulaney as CG of the 47th Infantry Division.

Maj. Gen. Gordon B. Rogers, former Chief of the Koran Military Advisory Group, will assume command of the 3d Armored Division, his first assignment in the U. S. since returning from Korea.

General Stephens took command of the Spearhead Division on 19 Dec. 1952, shortly after returning from the Far East. He assumed command after a short time as Assistant 3d Armored Division Commander, succeeding Brig. Gen. John T. Cole, since retired.

AF Cuts Rent

The Air Force is spending \$632,000 less for leased office space than it was a year ago, the Air Materiel Command announced this week.

By consolidating many of its offices and reducing personnel, approximately 340,000 square feet of office space was vacated in cities throughout the country during 1953.

The two major moves in reducing the leased office space were the consolidation of six Air Procurement District headquarters offices with seven Air Materiel Area headquarters, and the studies made by AMC's Installation Division which reviews all real estate actions, including space requirements, for AMC's nationwide activities.

A Ration Unification

"Unification in Action" is the theme of an annual report on ration development submitted to the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Research and Development by the Quartermaster Corps.

The Single-Service Assignment on Foods was initiated in 1950 by the Research and Development Board of the Department of Defense to provide improved rations for all the Armed Services at less cost through unified research and development. The Army, in addition to its own well-established ration program, was given over-all responsibility for ration development for all Services.

Specific responsibility for carrying out this program—which is closely coordinated with the Navy and the Air Force—was assigned to the Army Quartermaster Corps for implementation through its research and development activity—the QM Food and Container Institute.

During fiscal year 1953, covered by the report, such items as 7-way Frozen Boneless Beef, Frozen Raw Boneless Turkey, Improved Dehydrated Eggs, Compressed Flour, and Dry Whipping Cream were developed for Navy use, and Fruitcake Bar, Canned Pecan Roll, Dry Coffee Cream, and Compressed Cheese Bar were provided the Air Force. Several of the above items, as well as others not here mentioned, appear to have potential usefulness for at least two Services.

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PAKISTAN is going about this in a resolute manner, plainly ignoring the Indian warning of displeasure or, perhaps more accurately, weighing Pakistan's own needs for defense and for a western alliance against everything else, and deciding that the former's weight is greater. Nobody expects any large military machine in Pakistan, but rather the maintenance of a skeleton force properly armed. That country's compelling need is for economic betterment, and it is fair to expect that American aid will be largely economic, in order to justify an accompanying amount of military improvement. It is fair to assume, also, that moderate aid to two of the Arab states which show a desire for peaceful cooperation will convey a helpful lesson to other Arab states, which keep their eyes open to what happens to the neighbors.

ADMIRAL ARTHUR RADFORD, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, and Walter S. Robertson, Assistant Secretary of State, returned Wednesday from their brief Far East mission. Their wholly undramatic report indicated well enough that they had performed satisfactorily their task of calming some of the troubles in Korea. President Rhee, who had been reported as likely to protest the withdrawal of two U. S. divisions from the Far East and as likely to permit a ROK attack on Indian guards at Panmunjom (for a fancied faulty head-count of prisoners), is found to be entirely calm on both issues. There is every indication that on 23 Jan., precisely as scheduled, the prisoners who decline repatriation will be released to go to the countries of their choice. This includes 22,613 Chinese and North Koreans who wish to remain south of the 38th parallel (a number going to Formosa) and 335 United Nations personnel who elect to remain in North Korea. In the latter category are 21 Americans, in whose behalf no further official conversion efforts are to be made. There also is a reasonable presumption that the peace talks will be resumed shortly.

Former Eisenhower Aide Heads British Mission

General Sir John Whiteley, K.C.B., C.B.E., M.C., is due to arrive in New York on 21 Jan. aboard the Queen Mary to take up appointment as new Chairman of the British Joint Services Mission in Washington, and United Kingdom Representative on the Standing Group of the Military Committee of NATO.

He succeeds Air Chief Marshal Sir William Elliot in these posts.

General Whiteley played a distinguished part in planning the African and European campaigns during WWII. Since 1949 he has been Deputy Chief of the Imperial General Staff and a member of the British Army Council.

In 1943 he joined General Eisenhower's Staff at Allied Headquarters in Tunisia. The following year he helped plan the liberation of Western Europe, and two weeks before D-Day was appointed Major-General (Operations) SHA EF, where he remained till after the war.

Subsequently, he served on the Control Commission in Germany for five months, and then returned to England to become Senior Army Instructor at the Imperial Defense College in London. In 1947 he exchanged appointments with the head of the Canadian Staff College and served for two years at Kingston, Ontario.

Destroyers Collide

One man was killed and one slightly injured when the destroyers USS Ault and USS Haynsworth collided while engaged in night antisubmarine exercises a few miles off the coast of Japan on 20 Dec., 1953.

The Ault sustained damage to about 10 feet of her bow. The HAYNSWORTH received two holes in her bow. Both ships were able to proceed to Yokosuka, Japan, under their own power.

The injured man was treated aboard and returned to duty. The man killed was Seaman Eugene Merrill Whittington, of Buffalo, W. Va.

Col. Speidel Arty. Cmdr.

Col. George S. Speidel, Jr., has been named commander of the 40th Division Artillery in Korea. He succeeds Brig. Gen. Thomas Dunn, who recently was assigned to I Corps.

His wife, Tommie, and sons, George, 17, and Richard, 14, live at 716 W. North St., Carlisle, Pa.

Lt. Col. Shields Retires

Lt. Col. George C. Shields, Jr., Chief, Clothing Branch, Purchasing Division, New York Quartermaster Purchasing Agency, has announced his retirement after more than 25 years service in various capacities with the Army Quartermaster Corps.

Colonel Shields enlisted in the Army as a Master Sergeant in March 1928.

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such benefits were not provided, an appropriate adjustment in base pay would result."

"Each serviceman would know that for as long as he is a member of the Armed Services he would be entitled to the benefits existing at the time of his enlistment and would not be worried about a decrease or removal of such benefits at the whim of an economy-minded Congress or agency of the Government. He would have a clearly defined picture of what is a right and what is a privilege—something very much lacking at the present time."

"Long range economy would result from such a definition of benefits through an increased re-enlistment rate. A contributing factor to the cost of defense is highly specialized technical training of new enlistees. An increase of enlistments of trained personnel would more than offset any additional costs resulting from this definition of benefits."

PAY RAISE LEGISLATION for the Armed Forces will celebrate (?) a first year anniversary in the Defense Department legislative program on 14 Jan. That was the date in 1953 when the Pentagon announced that an 8 per cent cost-of-living pay increase had been added to the Department's list of desired legislation.

INDUSTRY * FINANCE

GE To Build Turbines and Gears For New Carrier

A contract for the manufacture of propulsion turbines and gears for the third Forrestal class carrier, has been awarded to General Electric Co.

The machinery will be built by General Electric at its Lynn, Mass., plant. The contract price is \$4,583,700.

The turbines and gears for the CVA-61 will be identical to those being constructed for the USS Saratoga (CVA-60), second ship of the Forrestal class. They are marine steam turbines and reduction gears of advanced design, employing high-pressure high-temperature steam.

The contract for construction of the third carrier (CVA-61) has not yet been awarded. However, the long lead time required by propulsion machinery makes it necessary that manufacture of the turbines and gears begin as soon as possible, the Navy said. It is expected that the machinery will be completed and installed in the ship's hull at the optimum time.

Navy Opens Tinkertoy Project to Industry

Drawings for hand tools required to setup pilot runs, or for model shop production, of electronic modules developed under former "project tinkertoy" are being offered to U. S. industry by the Navy.

The drawings, which include those of jigs, dies and fixtures, and an engineering handbook of the hand tool process (PB 111277), may be obtained through the Office of Technical Services, Department of Commerce, Washington 25, D. C. Also available is a summary of the entire project (PB 111275).

At the same time, the Navy announced it is dropping the code name "project tinkertoy", originally assigned to the project during its development stage, and will hereafter refer to it as "modular design of electronics" (short term, MDE), and "mechanized production of electronics" (short term, MPE).

Developed for the Navy by the National Bureau of Standards, the process makes possible the manufacture of certain electronic equipment through mechanized assembly of bulk or raw materials with minimum hand labor and at considerable savings in time.

Col. Vissering Named

Col. Norman H. Vissering, TC, USA, has been appointed Staff Director for Transportation in the Office of the Director of Transportation and Communications, Department of Defense.

Colonel Vissering is the principal assistant on transportation matters to Mr. Earl B. Smith, formerly Vice President and Director of Traffic at General Mills, who was recently appointed Director of Transportation and Communications.

Colonel Vissering will direct the activities of the Transportation Division composed of a Traffic Management Branch, to which has been transferred the functions previously performed by the Military Traffic Service, and a Plans and Policy Branch, to which has been transferred the duties previously performed by the Office of Transportation of the Munitions Board in the fields of mobilization planning and policy.

Build Eastern Offices

Ground breaking ceremonies were held recently at Clifton, N.J., for a cantilever construction building, located at the intersection of Route 3 and Passaic Avenue, which will be the new home of Eastern Regional Offices of North American Van Lines, Inc.

President James D. Edgett and Vice President V. E. Freeman, of North American Van Lines, Inc., Fort Wayne, Ind., were among those attending the ceremonies along with George H. Smith, Eastern Regional Manager. The new \$100,000 building, one story and basement with a total area of 6,000 square feet, is to be completed by the spring of 1954.

Plan Employment Cuts For Naval Shipyards

The Navy confirmed reports this week that a cut of approximately 10 per cent will be made in employment at the Boston Naval Shipyard during the next six months and that "commensurate" cuts will be made at 10 other Naval shipyards.

At present the Boston Naval Shipyard employs about 12,000 persons of whom about 1,200 will be released. If the same percentage is applied to the New York Naval Shipyard, approximately 1,800 more will be released there.

Other Yards

Additionally, employment levels will drop at Naval Shipyards at Portsmouth, N. H., Philadelphia, Norfolk, Charleston, Long Beach, San Francisco, Mare Island, Puget Sound and Pearl Harbor, T. H.

Senator Leverett Saltonstall (R-Mass.), Chairman of the Senate Armed Services Committee, said he will oppose any such cut at Boston.

In answer to queries, the Navy said: "The Bureau of Ships confirms the statement of the Boston Naval Shipyard Commander that a reduction in employment will undoubtedly be necessary during the fourth quarter of fiscal year 1954."

"The shipyard commander's prediction of a curtailment of approximately 1,200 represents his estimate of the situation based upon the presently anticipated workload. The Bureau does not dispute this estimate although it is of the opinion that a firm estimate of the fourth quarter employment is not possible at this time."

"It is expected that employment cuts at Boston will be commensurate with those at other shipyards."

Shift To Private Yards

Last week, Secretary of the Navy Robert B. Anderson noted in his semi-annual report that, since 1950, approximately 90 per cent of the Navy's new construction has been assigned to private shipyards. "Moreover," he said, "it was decided as a matter of policy to assign more ship repair and overhaul work to private shipyards."

Mr. Anderson said regular overhauls of auxiliary vessels and service craft, plus selected amphibious mine and patrol vessels "are now being awarded to qualified private firms on a competitive basis."

Naval Research Lab

Dr. Ernst Henry Krause, superintendent of the Radiation Division of the Naval Research Laboratory, has been appointed associate director of research to succeed Dr. F. N. D. Kurie, who has been selected superintending scientist of the Naval Electronics Laboratory in San Diego, Calif.

Dr. Krause joined the Naval Research Laboratory in 1938 and concentrated his research activity first on guided missiles, guided missile countermeasures, radar identification systems, radio and radar beacons and communications security systems. He was instrumental in initiating work on the Navy's Viking rocket, and was in charge of an extensive nuclear physics weapons research program carried on jointly by the Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory and the Navy Research Laboratory.

UHF Communications

Production has started on the new ultra high frequency portable communications set developed by the electronic research laboratories of the Rome Air Development Center, Griffiss AFB, N. Y.

The new set weighs half that of the one currently used, and has a greater range. Designed primarily for ground-to-air use, it is expected to increase the efficiency of air strikes on enemy frontline installations and positions.

One of the design features of the set which results in a more compact unit is the elimination of a need for accessory plug-in components with less parts to become misplaced and lost during combat. All its parts are easily accessible for instant field repair. The set is being manufactured by Air Associates, Inc., Orange, N. J.

AF Fire Extinguisher

The Air Force has awarded a contract to Stop-Fire, Inc., for the development of a new type of fire extinguisher for air base ground operations.

The new wheel-type extinguisher will have a 10 to 20 gallon capacity and will employ stored pressure for extinguisher operation and chlorobromomethane as the fire extinguishant.

To Use 98-Ton Amphibious BARC In Maneuvers

The giant experimental BARC 3-X, which can accommodate more than 200 combat-equipped troops, will take part in landing maneuvers along the French coast next month.

The 98-ton amphibious vehicle will be shipped from the Hampton Roads Port of Embarkation, 15 Jan., to Bordeaux, and will proceed under its own power from there to La Pallice.

In addition to taking part in the amphibious operation, the BARC will also demonstrate its 100-ton carrying capacity for NATO officials. During the past year, leading transportation officers of the British, French and Dutch armies have visited Ft. Story, Va., where the BARC has been undergoing land and water trials, and expressed enthusiasm at the cargo carrier's maneuverability.

Air Research Meeting

High ranking officers, scientists, and research men of the Air Force met last week with Raytheon Manufacturing Company's engineers and officials at Waltham, Mass., to discuss and inspect the latest devices and developments in electronics for defense.

Present at an all-day session were: Lt. Gen. James H. "Jimmy" Doolittle, Special Assistant to the Chief of Staff, USAF; Lt. Gen. Donald L. Putt, Commander of the Air Research & Development Command; Maj. Gen. James McCormack, Jr., Vice Commander of ARDC; Dr. Chalmers Sherwin, Chief Scientist, USAF; Maj. Gen. Raymond C. Maude, Commander of the Air Force's Cambridge Research Center, Mass., and Lt. Col. Lee V. Gossick, Director of Air Defense Systems, ARDC.

Defense Products Chief

Appointment of Latham E. Osborne, formerly executive vice president, defense products, as executive vice president is announced by President Gwilym A. Price of the Westinghouse Electric Corporation. At the same time, Mr. Price reported the election of Mr. Osborne to the company's board of directors.

Leslie E. Lynde, vice president in charge of the Aviation Gas Turbine Division at South Philadelphia, Pa., will succeed Mr. Osborne. As vice president, defense products, he will be responsible for the following divisions: Aviation Gas Turbine, Atomic Power, Air-Arm, Electronics, and X-Ray. Mr. Lynde will also be responsible for the coordination of defense activities throughout the company.

Mr. Lynde's successor will be named later. Both Mr. Osborne and Mr. Lynde will make their headquarters in Pittsburgh, Pa., and took over their new duties effective 1 Jan.

Contract For Landing Craft

The first construction award to be made under the Navy's fiscal 1954 shipbuilding program has been awarded to the Marinette Marine Corp., Marinette, Wisc., for 150 landing craft to cost about \$3 million exclusive of Government furnished material.

The mechanized landing craft (LCM-6) will displace 56,000 pounds each. They will be 56 feet long, with beams of 14 feet 1 1/4 inches. The Navy said with the exception of a slightly wider ramp, they are the same as earlier LCM-6 craft.

Seventy-five of the vessels will be delivered to Portsmouth, Va., and the other 75 will go to San Diego. No delivery date was announced.

Changing Stations? Notify The Journal promptly to avoid missing any issues.

MSTS Summarizes

December Activity

Twenty-five privately owned and operated American Flag ships were chartered by the Military Sea Transportation Service during December.

Contracts were signed for the use of 17 tankers and eight cargo ships.

The tankers, fixed for use beginning in February, included 16 clean and one black. These of the clean tankers were contracted by exercising options held by the government on previous charters for consecutive voyages. The remaining 14 were for single voyages.

Rates for the voyage-chartered tankers ranged from 10 to 25 per cent below the basic U. S. Maritime Commission rate applicable in the area of the voyages.

Cargo ship fixtures included new charters for six Liberty ships and one C-2 type ship for four months with additional four month options, and a renewed charter for one Victory ship for four months.

During December MSTS also arranged with the Maritime Administration to return 14 General Agency ships, to the National Defense Reserve Fleet for lay-up, bringing to a total of 118 the number of GAA ships which will have been inactivated by MSTS since July 1953.

Under charter to MSTS at the end of December were 100 privately owned and operated American Flag cargo ships and tankers.

Lt. Col. Seagrave Joins Airline

Pan American World Airways has announced that Norman P. Seagrave, formerly attached to the American Embassy in Rome, joined its legal staff on 4 Jan.

Mr. Seagrave enlisted as a private in the Army during WW II and rose to the rank of lieutenant colonel before his separation in 1945. During two and a half years overseas, he was Executive of the G-5 Section of Allied Force Headquarters which was responsible for military government in the Mediterranean Theatre of Operations.

Ramjet Builder Gives Bonus

Marquardt Aircraft Co. distributed \$60,000 in year-end bonuses to employees of this ramjet engine builder. Each of the 1100 employees participated in the distribution on the basis of time employed.

Simultaneously, Roy Marquardt announced to the employees at their Annual Recreation Club Christmas Party, wage increases of an average of nine cents an hour for approximately 750 workers, effective 21 Dec. Salaries for 350 employees were boosted on an average of 4 1/2%.

Marquardt Aircraft is primarily a designer and manufacturer of power plants and accessories for pilotless aircraft and manned aircraft of advanced supersonic design. The company is also engaged in long range research and development contracts for the armed forces.

Col. Bricker to Manage Firm's Service Division

J. Henry Helsel & Co., Pacific Coast Investment Managers with headquarters in Portland, Oregon, has announced a new client servicing division to serve those in the various armed forces and government agencies abroad. Known as the Armed and Foreign Services Division, the new department will be under the direction of Col. L. M. Bricker, USA-Ret., with headquarters at 1016 Bank of America Building, San Jose, Calif.

The new division has been formed under the National Office (which is headed by a naval reserve officer) of the parent firm in Portland and will offer its services directly from San Jose to members of the Army, Navy, Air Forces, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, State Department, Mutual Security Agency, and other persons serving the Federal Government abroad.

Col. Bricker, who has served as Assistant Resident Manager of the San Jose Helsel office, was for a time Ordnance Officer for the Third Army under Patton during WW II.

Elect Admiral Powell

Rear Adm. Paulus P. Powell, USN-Ret., has been elected President of Town Hall, Inc., New York City. The announcement was made by Mrs. Elinore Herrick, Chairman of the Board of Trustees.

Admiral Powell, who was senior Naval aide to the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt and former President Herbert Hoover, was retired in January, 1947. He will be 62 next April.

Cite Gen. Darrow

Brig. Gen. Don O. Darrow, USAF, was presented the second Oak Leaf Cluster to the Legion of Merit 6 Jan. by Lt. Gen. Joseph Smith, Military Air Transport

Service commander. General Darrow, presently MATS' Deputy Chief of Staff for Materiel, received the award of 14 months service as a member of the United Nations Korean Armistice staff.

F-89D Maintenance Training

Northrop Aircraft, Inc., is establishing a training program at Amarillo AFB, Tex., to instruct Air Force ground crews in the operational maintenance of the long-range, all weather F-89D.

The three-phase program, which includes hydraulic, electrical and A & E training, is under the direction of Northrop instructors. Upon completion of the course, the trainees will be assigned to operational units which use the F-89D.

Navy Names 12 for WO

The Navy has announced the names of 12 chief petty officers appointed temporarily to the grade of Warrant Officer, W-1, with dates of rank of 15 Nov. 1953. Appointments are effective upon acceptance, the Navy said, and will go out by individual letters.

Those appointed are as follows:

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To Gunner Classification code 7232, Edmund David Egeland and Raynell Leonor Prado.

To Torpedoman Classification code 7332, Hans Albert Koenig.

To Electrician Classification code 7542,

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Julian Frank Andia and Roger Merle Exon.

To Acting Pay Clerk Classification code 7982, Harry Thomas Kelly and Leo Alfred Proteau.

To Warrant Officer Hospital Corps Classification code 8172, Daniel Anthony Carrara and Emmett Barksdale Womack, Jr.

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Navy Tells Long Range Plan For Wave Promotions; Plan "Severe" Attrition

A bleak picture of promotion opportunities for women officers of the Navy has been painted by Vice Adm. James L. Holloway, jr., USN, in a letter to Senator Leverett Saltonstall (R-Mass.), Chairman of the Senate Armed Services Committee.

In the first comprehensive explanation to be made of the Navy's long range promotion plan for WAVE officers, Admiral Holloway states that:

1—The Navy does not plan to provide women officers with the same promotional opportunities it offers males;

2—"Very severe" attrition will be assessed against WAVE officers arriving at the selection point in the next two or three years, and

3—Promotions to the rank of WAVE commander will continue to be slowed down over the next 10 or 15 years.

Resignations

The Chief of Naval Personnel notes that there have been "unexpectedly high resignations" from the ranks of the WAVES and that the number of Regular Line WAVE officers "has dropped from a total of 385 officers on 1 Jan. 1952 to 256 on 1 Nov. 1953." He says, however, "The fact that young women are applying for regular commissions convinces us that the attractiveness of the regular Navy as a career for women has not been seriously jeopardized."

Admiral Holloway says certain factors which apply to women officers and not to males "tend to increase promotion attrition and reduce the opportunity for advancement to the grades of lieutenant commander and commander below that of male officers."

He explained that the three factors in any promotion system are *distribution, flow rate and promotional attrition*. Distribution, in the case of the Waves, he notes, is set by law at a maximum of 10 and 20 per cent for commanders and lieutenant commanders, respectively, while "the law is silent" on the proportions in the lower grades.

Set Flow Rate

Regarding the flow rate, he says a normal promotion table for women appears to be about as follows: For promotion to Lt(jg), three years in grade and three years total commissioned service; to Lt., three and six; to Lt. Comdr., six and 12; to Comdr., 7 and 19.

At present, he relates, Waves are being promoted to Lt(jg) with 1½ years service in grade, and 1½ years of total commissioned service; to Lt. with three and six; to Lt. Comdr. with seven and 10; to Comdr. with four and 11. From this, he said, "it is apparent that the senior Wave officers are accelerated well beyond the promotion flow rate."

Following are pertinent extracts from Admiral Holloway's discussion of promotional attrition and other factors in the Wave promotion policy:

"With flow rate fixed and distribution established for the senior grades, promotional attrition becomes the only variable. If officers are to be advanced at certain specified intervals the promotional attrition will be determined by the number of vacancies that exist of each of those intervals. By either increasing the number of vacancies or by slowing the promotion flow rate the required promotion attrition will be reduced.

"The Wave law specifies that there will be no promotional attrition, except for the unqualified, in promotion to the grades of lieutenant (jg) and lieutenant. It was for this reason that no percentage distribution was prescribed for those grades.

Plan Slowdown

"Within this foundation which applies to all promotion systems, the basic consideration is, and always has been, to bring the promotion of Wave Officers into a structure that conforms with the intent of the law and into better parity with the male officers with regards to flow rate.

"The junior Wave commander promoted in July 1953, was promoted three years ahead of her male contemporary

with equivalent total commissioned service. A gradual slow down is planned in the promotion to commander of Wave officers, which will bring their promotion into phase with the promotion of male officers, over the next 10 or 15 years.

"The promotion opportunity of women officers cannot be the same as that of the male officer because of the free selection of all qualified officers to the grade of lieutenant, the different percentile limitations, the base of regular officers only, and the fact that the women officers remain longer in the grade of commander than men. All of these factors, except the percentile grade limit for lieutenant commander, tend to increase promotion attrition and reduce the opportunity for advancement to the grades of lieutenant commander below that of male officers.

Mathematical Equality

"In any comparison of promotional attrition between Wave officers and male officers it is worthy of note that the Women's Armed Services Integration Act of 1948 provides only for the promotion of regular Navy Wave officers, while the Officer Personnel Act of 1947, as amended, provides for the promotion of all male officers on active duty. The import of this difference lies in the fact that for a group of Wave officers under consideration for promotion to fill a given number of vacancies all the attrition is necessarily assessed against the regular officers.

"While it is impossible to assure Wave officers the same mathematical opportunity of selection for promotion to a given grade as the male officers, every effort has been and will continue to be made to assure successive promotion groups of Wave officers mathematical equality of opportunity with each other. It is in conformance with this intent that no selection board for commander was recommended for this year.

"Inasmuch as the law governing the promotion of Wave officers does not prescribe a 'promotion zone,' Wave officers not selected for promotion are not considered as having failed of promotion. However, only six Wave lieutenant commanders with comparable length of service to male lieutenant commanders promoted, have not been selected for promotion.

Severe Attrition

"The promotion of Wave lieutenants to the grade of lieutenant commander is a matter of concern to the Navy Department. As a result of procurement of large numbers of Wave officers during World War II and the subsequent transfer of many of these officers to the regular Navy after World War II a large proportion of the regular Wave officers have, within a year of each other, the same total service. These officers will thus reach the promotion point together in the near future.

"With the FLOW RATE and DISTRIBUTION rigidly provided in the women's officers integration act for the promotion of lieutenants to lieutenant commander, ATTRITION must be very severe because of the large number of officers who will arrive at the selection point in the next two or three years. An amendment to the Waves Organic Act is being requested to permit the carry-down of unused vacancies in the commander grade to increase the number authorized in the grade of lieutenant commander. This will permit more lieutenants to be promoted and, in part, alleviate the attrition of lieutenants being considered for advancement.

"Every effort is being made to increase the new procurement and thus the total strength so that promotional opportunity will not be reduced more severely than absolutely necessary.

"The fact that young women are applying for regular commissions convinces us that the attractiveness of the regular Navy as a career for women has not been seriously jeopardized."

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Col. Park To G-2

Col. Richard Park, jr., who has served as 5th Armored Division chief of staff the past 15 months left Camp Chaffee, Ark., 4 Jan., for assignment in Washington, D.C., with the Army G-2 section.

Col. Carleton E. Merritt, assistant chief of staff, G-3, has been appointed new chief of staff.

Colonel Park will report for his new assignment about 22 Feb.

Colonel Park served in Russia from July until December of 1942 as assistant to the military attache to Moscow.

From April, 1944, to April, 1945, he was assistant military aide and subsequently military aide to the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt, accompanying him to both the conferences at Quebec and at Yalta.

Col. Watkins Comptroller

Col. T. H. Watkins has been named Ft. Bliss, Tex., Comptroller. He took over his new duties from Col. W. A. Weddell, Deputy Post Commander, who had served as Acting Comptroller for more than a year.

Colonel Watkins, a Certified Public Accountant, served in Japan from 1946 to 1950 as Fiscal Officer of the Eighth Army Central Exchange.

The new Comptroller, who first served at Fort Bliss from 1942 to 1944, came to the post on his present tour of duty in September, 1950. He was attached to the office of G-1 and later served for more than two years with the Antiaircraft and Guided Missiles Branch of The Artillery School before being appointed Comptroller.

Don't Call Green-Gray Uniform "Prussian" Army Says In Launching Uniform Survey

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present schedule.

It is anticipated that the Survey will involve use of questionnaires to obtain reactions from the field.

Army personnel will have an opportunity to recommend uniform changes during the on-the-spot tests, according to Pentagon authorities.

The Survey is said to be one of many activities being conducted in connection with the continuing uniform study.

THE JOURNAL has reported that the new team at the Pentagon apparently is not enthusiastic over the dark green coat and "pinks" proposed to Congress by General J. Lawton Collins, then Chief of Staff, last year.

This uniform was never subjected to field test. The only uniform which has been given such test is the green-gray uniform worn by the 3d Infantry Regiment and there are some observers who think that its favorable reception by men assigned to this unit will make it a strong contender.

In connection with the Uniform Survey, the Army has advised the field that the gray-green uniform in no case is to be referred to as "Prussian or German-type uniform." The Army emphasizes that the gray-green uniform under consideration has neither color nor design features in common with the Prussian or German types.

The Army's uniform inquiry began in 1946, when a blue uniform was considered for general wear.

Last year, a blue uniform was authorized for optional wear, to be purchased voluntarily by enlisted men desiring such garb.

In February 1949, a 10-year program aimed at improving the Army uniform was launched and the next year the Uniform Board took under study proposals for 31 different colors.

This inquiry involved investigation of 3 shades of gray, 5 blue, 16 green, 1 taupe, 1 pink and green, 1 O.D. 33, 1 Navy Blue, 1 Marine Blue, 1 Air Force Blue and 1 Cadet Gray.

The Army then field tested the green-gray uniform.

Officials say that a major result of the uniform studies has been the clear-cut separation of combat and general wear uniform items. This has been permitted development and improvement of both types.

The Army is satisfied generally with

present combat uniforms, but there is apparent dissatisfaction with the O.D. uniform.

It's pointed out that whereas only 9 sizes are needed for the combat uniform, 90 different sizes are necessary for the general wear uniform.

If a new uniform should be adopted—and Pentagon officials insist that this is not now a certainty—it will require from two to four years to integrate its wear around the world.

Long wear-out periods would be authorized for present uniform items to prevent hardships, it is reported.

Quite possibly, the new study will result in elimination of some present uniform items to promote savings.

What the Army is after in the comprehensive uniform investigation is a general wear uniform of distinctive and dignified military design, of acceptable color, which will reflect Army tradition, be suitable for different climatic conditions, be fitted carefully to the individual and which will be worn carefully under close supervision to insure complete uniformity of appearance.

MSC Wave Ordered To Sea

Lt. (jg) Katherine Keating of Denver, Colo., is the first WAVE of the Navy's Medical Service Corps to be ordered to sea. She has reported aboard the hospital ship USS Haven now in port at Long Beach, Calif.

Lieutenant Keating first saw naval service when she enlisted in the Naval Reserve in December, 1942. After recruit training and radio training she was rated a radioman and served at Navy radio stations until she was discharged in November, 1945.

She served in the inactive Naval Reserve until Sept., 1948, when she enlisted in the Regular Navy. Her appointment as Ensign came after she had advanced in enlisted status to Hospitalman, first class.

Commands Amphib. Group

Rear Adm. Robert L. Campbell, former deputy chief of logistics with the Joint Chiefs of Staff, has succeeded Rear Adm. Charles W. Wilkins as Commander Amphibious Group Four aboard the amphibious command ship USS Taconic at the Norfolk Naval Base.

Admiral Wilkins will report to the Office, Chief of Naval Operations.

Amphibious Group Four is one of two major commands in the Atlantic Fleet Amphibious Force which plan and conduct amphibious operations from the Caribbean to the Mediterranean. Various forces ranging from 16,000-ton troop transports and cargo ships to landing ships tank and assault boats are assigned to the amphibious group for operations during assault landings.

Trained Manpower

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organization of Reserve Forces. He mentioned the studies recently completed by the National Security Training Commission, but gave no indication whether he would endorse their basic proposal for launching a compulsory training program for 18-year-olds, with 100,000 to be trained the first year.

HOW OTHERS FARE

New statistics released this week on women in the service show that the Navy has the smallest percentage of Regular officers serving in the top permanent commissioned grade of women.

The following table lists (1) the number of permanent officers currently serving in the grade of lieutenant colonel or commander; (2) the approximate percentage this represents in the total Regular strength of the WAF, WAC, Women Marines and WAVES:

Service	(1)	(2)
WAF	26	14%
WAC	32	9%
Women Marines	4	7½%
WAVES	5	1½%